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Showers Wednesday and Probably Thursday

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CELEBRATION OF THE FORMAL OPENING OF THE HERRS ISLAND DAM

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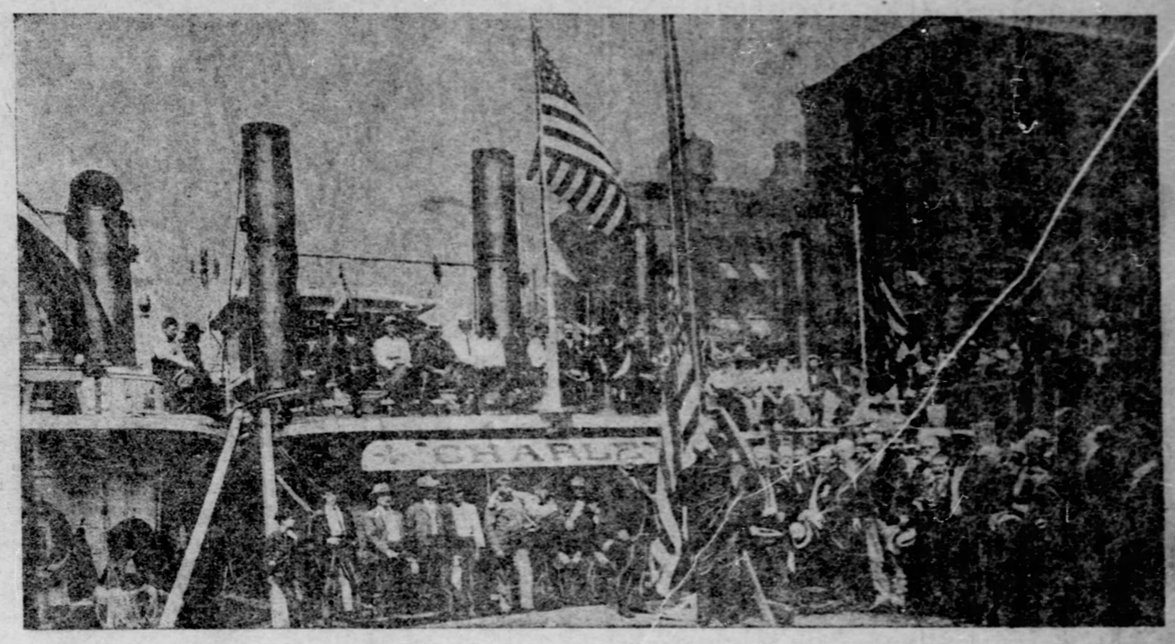
Members of Allegheny River Improvement Association On the Flagboat.



Congressman James W. Brown Raising the Flag.

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TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

EXPOSITION PARK—Paul's "Last Days of Pompeii," benefit of Pittsburgh Elks; Shriners' night; 8:15 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—New stock opera company in "Il Trovatore;" "Baby" Barrett in palm garden; 8:15 p. m.

CALHOUN PARK—Conser's dog circus and vaudeville; 3:30 and 8:45 p. m.

SOUTHERN PARK—Comedy and vaudeville; 3:30 and 8:45 p. m.

KENNYWOOD PARK—Concerts by Rocereto's band, afternoon and evening; steeplechase horses and other attractions.

LAST CHIEF AND HIS MEN SURRENDER

CARACAS, VENEZUELA, July 28.—General Antonio Ramos, one of the last of the chiefs of the revolution to remain in the field, who had a camp near Santa Lucia, has surrendered to the government, together with 400 men, their arms and ammunition.

FOUR DROWNED IN ALLEGHENY

Herrs Island Dam Scene of Sad Tragedy After Celebration.

JOSEPH BROWN A HERO

Skiff Carrying Six Drawn Under Bear Trap by Swift Current.

PATHETIC SCENES FOLLOW

Death invaded the homes of three Allegheny families last night, the result of a most unfortunate accident that marked the wind-up of a day's jollification at the new Herrs island dam. A light skiff in which were three boys and three girls was drawn into the "back-lash" under the "bear-trap" of the dam, and the three boys and one girl were drowned. The names of those drowned are:

JOSEPH BROWN, aged 18 years, son of William Brown of No. 1193 Main street.

HENRY BROWN, aged 14 years, brother of Joseph.

FRED BULGER, aged 19 years, son of Fred Bolger of No. 913 Main street.

EDNA SHIPLEY, aged 13 years, daughter of George W. Shipley of No. 1436 Faulkner alley.

Those rescued were Lena Dedig, the 13-year-old daughter of Henry Dedig of No. 1075 River avenue, and Annie McIntyre, 13 years old, the daughter of James McIntyre of No. 1116 River avenue.

The body of young Bulger was dragged from the river just a few feet from where the boy jumped in, and taken to Ley & Geiselhart's undertaking rooms in Chestnut street.

Caught in Treacherous Current.

The tragedy occurred shortly after 7 o'clock and was witnessed by scores of people who were on the Allegheny bank of the river. The Brown boys and Fred Bulger were going skiff-riding and invited the three girls to go with them. The invitation was accepted and the lads started toward the dam. There was no hint of danger until the light boat suddenly increased its speed and shot toward the great volume of water that was rushing over the top of the wickets at the "bear trap." The Brown boys, who were rowing, pulled desperately against the treacherous current, known to rivermen as the "back-lash," but their efforts were futile, and in a few seconds the boat was under the waterfall and was rapidly filled.

The boat did not sink and the cries of the terrified occupants attracted a large crowd. Erb Jamison of Lumbermans alley, and William Kestner of No. 1076 River avenue, jumped into a skiff as did Firemen Charles Richardson and Isaac Weaver of No. 8 engine house, and both boats went to the rescue of the drowning ones. Just as the boat in which Richardson and Weaver were rowing reached a point where a line could be thrown, Joseph Brown, who had been in the water

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Romantic Marriage of Widow and Son to Man and His Daughter.

(Special Telegram to The Gazette.)

ZANESVILLE, O., July 28.—John V. Baker and his daughter, Mary C. Baker, aged 52 and 19, respectively, will be married tomorrow afternoon to Mrs. L. Lucy B. Cowden and her son, Orville, aged respectively 37 and 22. All the parties live in Salem township. Young Cowden wanted Miss Baker to marry him 10 months ago, but she refused, saying that she could not leave her father alone, he being a widower.

In despair the young man told his troubles to his mother, who, more in a spirit of fun than anything else, sought to pacify him by saying she guessed she would have to marry the father, she being a widow. Orville told his sweetheart of his mother's remark, and the two conspired to bring about just such a situation. They managed by various schemes to have their two parents brought together as much as possible. The Rev. J. S. Eaton will officiate at the weddings. Both families are well known and well-to-do.

GAY CELEBRATION OF DAM OPENING AT HERRS ISLAND

Parade of Decorated River Steamers While Whistles Screamed—Addresses Made by Prominent Men. John F. Dravo Created Dean of Waterways.

Amid deafening blasts of scores of whistles the celebration of the completion of Herrs Island dam started a little before noon yesterday at the Water street wharf, on the Monongahela river. The fleet, under the command of Admiral Thomas M. Rees, started at noon for the dam, where there were speeches, a flag raising by Congressman James W. Brown and the dubbing of Capt. John F. Dravo as "Dean of the Waterways."

The parade was headed by the government boat Loma, the flag ship; John Mackey and Florence Bell, Charley Hook and Little Fred, G. W. Thomas and P. M. Pfeil, Delta and Tide, S. B. Goucher and Ollie Neville, formed in behind, lashed in couples. At the dam the procession was met by the steamers Lee H. Brooks, National, Eleanor and Return, besides many smaller craft.

Along the banks on each side thousands of people viewed the procession and returned the greetings of the people aboard the steamers.

After proceeding up the Allegheny river above the dam the procession turned back, as the Florence Bell could not get under and all tied up at the locks. At 3 o'clock Congressman James W. Brown raised the flag on a pole which had served to guide the longest raft that ever came down the Allegheny river. After three lusty cheers Edward A. Dewey, president of the Allegheny River Improvement association leading, were given for dam No. 1.

As many as could crowd into the saloon of the Florence Bell listened for two hours to addresses on the improvements in the river and what good will come from slack-watering the rivers from Oil City to Cairo.

Other Dams Under Way.

President Dewey welcomed the friends of the movement, declaring that ultimately the slack-watering of the rivers would bring about the desired connection between the great lakes and the gulf of Mexico. He said that dam No. 2 was to be completed within a year and dam No. 3 within a year and a half. These are all the dams under construction at present in the Allegheny.

Capt. William L. Sibert, United States engineer in charge of the river improvements of this district, was invited to speak, but declined to make any lengthy remarks on account of his official position. Letters were read by Theodore E. Lampert, field secretary of the association, from prominent men, who expressed regret at not being able to attend the celebration. Some of those unable to be present and from whom communications were read were: Congressman John Dalzell, Secretary of War Elihu Root, Assistant Secretary of War William Carey Sanger, Congressman H. Kirke Porter, Congressman W. O. Smith of Punxsutawney, Senator Matthew S. Quay, Hon. Joseph G. Cannon and several members of the congressional river and harbors committee.

Congressman James W. Brown spoke at some length on the resources of the Allegheny valley and said that the work of improving the valley was the work of the people.

Ward R. Bliss, chairman of the committee on appropriations of the state legislature, came all the way from Chester, Pa., to bring the congratulations of the people of Eastern Pennsylvania to those of the west part on the completion of the first stage in slack-watering the Allegheny river. He said:

"I have never seen so inspiring a spectacle as I have witnessed this afternoon during the celebration. I bring the congratulations of the people of Eastern Pennsylvania. This is not a local work. These waterways link the north, south, east and west socially and politically, as well as commercially. The Allegheny mountains and Rockies kiss hands across the greatest waterway in the world. No valley is as rich as the Allegheny valley. These navigable rivers add to the capital of the country and distribute wealth more equally."

Mr. Bliss said that if congress failed to put through the great project of slack-watering the rivers the treasury of the state of Pennsylvania could be called upon, as there were millions of dollars in Harrisburg.

West Virginians Plea.

R. L. Gregory of Sistersville, representative of the Fourth district in the legislature of West Virginia, spoke for a nine-foot stage from Oil City to the gulf of Mexico.

Admiral Thomas M. Rees made a short address, as did Samuel D. Cochrane, ex-president of the Allegheny River Improvement association.

Col. John L. Vance spoke at length on the work of the association and what it hoped to accomplish.

At the conclusion of the speeches President Dewey presented Capt. John F. Dravo with a written testimonial from the Allegheny River Improvement association and bestowing the title of "Dean of the Waterways" upon him with appropriate remarks. This was received with loud applause by the audience.

Capt. Dravo responded with a short, characteristic speech.

Nearly every speaker attacked the bridges as being obstructions to navigation and the growth of the Allegheny valley.

After the exercises a demonstration of the working of the traps of the new dam was given.

Herrs island dam was begun in June, 1895. The first boat went through the new locks on December 2, 1902. The traps which are the largest steel boat traps in the world, were worked for the first time on June 2 last. The total cost of the dam is a little under $800,000. J. W. Arras of the local United States engineer's office has had entire charge of the construction.

Several of the steamers were pretty decorated. Whistles greeted the procession all along the river and the whistles were blown and bells rung in many villages in the Allegheny valley. Perhaps the loudest whistle of the day was that of the locomotive at the Wayne iron and steel works.

Whistles Caused Trouble.

Some incidents not scheduled attended the celebration over the opening of the dam. The din of tooting whistles was responsible for at least two accidents.

Henry Metculs of Beaver avenue was eating dinner when the racket commenced. Not being a reader of the daily newspapers Metculs knew nothing of the opening of the dam. He supposed a large conflagration threatened the lower end of the city and rushed from the house toward the Ohio river to escape impending danger. While fearing madly down the street he collided with a large dog. Metculs fell over the dog and broke his right

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PEACE PLANS ALL DROPPED

Republicans and Citizens Have Finally Agreed to Disagree.

WILL FIGHT THIS FALL

Negotiations Were Closed When It Was Found Impossible to Secure Harmony.

LARKIN DISCUSSES FUSION

Republicans and Citizens have agreed to disagree on the question of party peace in the county this fall. Negotiations have ceased. The Republicans will nominate a strong county ticket and elect it. The Citizens will doubtless endeavor to fuse with the Democrats.

Harmony negotiations were dropped yesterday after it was clear to both sides that peace could not be secured. So far as can be learned there will be no attempt to re-open the question previous to the fall campaign. The Republicans are satisfied that they can win this fight. The organization is in splendid condition and it does not desire to have all of the trouble of the Citizens' party transferred to it. It is the intention to proceed to interest strong men to enter the Republican primaries as candidates for county offices. The doors will be open to all Republicans and a high-class of nominees will be named by the county conventions.

Thomas J. Ford, chairman of the Republican county committee, announced late yesterday afternoon that negotiations were off. He said that both sides had agreed to cease attempting to secure party peace. Chairman Ford says that the Republicans will have a strong ticket in the field this fall and will elect it.

There has been so much said about harmony during the last few days that the leaders on both sides could not see the necessity of making long statements about the breaking off of negotiations. They were content with the announcement that all harmony plans had been dropped.

Mayor William B. Hays said early in the afternoon: "I do not think that there will be harmony, and I never did."

Murry A. Verner, who conducted the negotiations for the citizens, was hopeful late yesterday afternoon that there would be harmony. He remarked that probably the Republicans did not thoroughly understand the propositions made by the Citizens, but there did not appear to be any trouble of that kind.

James A. Clarke, who was empowered by the last Democratic county convention to appoint a committee on fusion, will return from the west next week. Soon after his arrival the Democrats will doubtless be invited to enter a fusion conference with the Citizens. Controller John B. Larkin seems to think that the fusion this fall will be along different lines, intimating that the better element of the Citizens will break away from Thomas S. Bigelow and fuse with the Democracy. Yesterday the controller said:

"There will not be the same kind of fusion as in the former contests. The Democrats, at their recent convention, in resolving to fuse without specifying the party, builded wiser than they knew. The Citizens committee of 32, in agreeing to fuse without saying with whom, builded as wisely as it knew. There is a large element of the Citizens party that has no sympathy with the attempt to secure harmony. These men will be true to their reform pledges. I believe that this element will effect an organization and with it the Democrats will fuse."

Cyclone Destroyed Three Villages.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 28.—A terrific cyclone has passed through the district of Tchernigof. Three villages were destroyed in a few minutes. Churches and houses were lifted bodily and carried a long distance. The loss of life was great.

CAR'S LAST TRIP AT TERRIFIC SPEED DOWN THE PLANE

During Fire Which Destroyed the Old Fort Pitt Incline the Cars Ran Away—Ruin of Unprofitable Venture Complete.

With a roar and mighty crash, the cars on the old Fort Pitt incline plane, built on the side of the bluff overlooking Second avenue, made their final trip last evening, when the stormy career of the old plane was ended by fire. When the plane was abandoned about three years ago the cars had been stopped midway between the top and bottom, and when the heavy steel cables which held the cars snapped last evening the wild flight of the cars was witnessed by hundreds of people who had been attracted to the scene by the fire which completed the ruin of the structure.

The Ft. Pitt incline ran from Second avenue, opposite the entrance to the South Tenth street bridge, to bluff street at the head of Magee street. Since it had been abandoned by the owners the engine room had been a resort for boys and tramps. About 5 o'clock Officer John F. Carlson discovered smoke issuing from the engine room. He turned in an alarm, but when the firemen arrived they could do little toward saving the building, and it was soon a total wreck.

At the head of the plane only the old waiting room remained on a level with the street, the engineer's cab having been destroyed about a year ago by boys. The side of the cliff had been cut out to make room for the engine room, boiler room and fuel bunkers, making a three-story building below the street level. The two cars were built to carry both passengers and vehicles. The plane was built about 15 years ago. Owing to lawsuits the company was unable to operate the plane with profit and it went into the hands of a receiver, the Fidelity Title and Trust Company holding the office at the present time. Among those who tried to operate the plane was a number of employes who held unsatisfied claims for wages.

The fire, which destroyed what remained of the plane, probably started in the boiler room, and as the building was soaked with oil, the flames soon crept up through the place and gained great headway before the firemen appeared on the scene. The heat from the burning timbers compelled the firemen to remain on the street, and there was also danger of the roof of the structure, over which wagons ran to enter the cars, falling in.

While the firemen were pouring water on the building from the top the old rusted cables snapped and the cars shot down the steep incline in rapid succession. One car struck the stone lined pit at the bottom of the plane, and besides being almost smashed into splinters, wrecked the old waiting room at the bottom. The other car, when within about 25 feet of the bottom, struck a lot of earth and rocks which had fallen over the tracks and was derailed and wrecked.

During the fire Robert Ewin, a hoseman of engine company No. 5, fell over the cliff side, but saved himself from serious injury by grasping the branches of a tree while falling. He escaped with a sprained leg and some bruises and cuts. His clothing was badly torn.

About a year ago several young men were convicted in the local courts on a charge of stealing brass connected with the machinery. About that time an aged resident of the bluff was arrested for setting fire to the waiting room at the top of the plane. He claimed at the time that many boys used the old room as a loafing place and caused him great annoyance by their disorderly conduct.

WHEELING CROWD TRIES TO LYNCH HUNGARIAN

Foreigner Who Insulted Woman Saved from Death by the Police.

WHEELING, W. VA., July 28.—But for the timely arrival of policemen, John Posteob, a Hungarian steel worker, would have been strung up by an enraged mob on Wheeling island last night. Posteob, who was drunk, caught in his arms and embraced a well-known and respected woman residing on the island as she was returning home over the steel bridge unescorted late in the evening.

The woman screamed frantically and her cries were quickly answered by many citizens who rushed from their homes. The man took to his heels pursued by a posse. When the mob drew close to the foreigner he wheeled and drew a dirk, and held the mob at bay for a time. A cobble stone hurled the knife out of the man's hand while another knocked him down. A rope was quickly sent for and a convenient shade tree picked out when a force of policemen arrived upon the scene and rescued the cringing man.

TWO KILLED AND OTHERS HURT IN TRAIN WRECK

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Two people were killed and seven injured in a rear-end collision between the southwestern vestibule limited of the Southern railway and a work train, at Springfield, Va., seven miles below Alexandria, at 7:15 o'clock this morning. The engine and several of the cars were badly damaged.

THREE BOYS DROWNED; ONE FROM CARNEGIE

BEAUMORRIS, MUSKOKA, ONT., July 28.—Joseph Hosack, of Carnegie, Pa., a Princeton student; Walter Menard of Mercer, Pa., a student of Johns Hopkins with a cousin of Hosack, set out from Gravenhurst in a canoe on Sunday. The paddles and Menard's coat were picked up on the lake today. It is feared all three have been drowned.

LYNCHING FEVER HAS BROKEN OUT IN OHIO

Angry Mob Threatened Vengeance Upon Two Negroes Who Cut White Man.

LORAIN, O., July 28.—Great excitement prevailed in this city for three hours tonight. A crowd of 200 persons threatened to lynch Charles Hill and Robert Pleasant, negroes, if they could be found. The day and night police force was called out, and special policemen were put on duty.

Shortly after 7 o'clock Daniel Cronan, white, and the negroes got into an argument in a saloon, and a fight ensued. One of the negroes drew a razor and cut Cronan on the face and neck. When the news spread a mob formed and he was chased over the south end of the city, but finally escaped. He entered a saloon owned by Robert Fountain, and the crowd threw stones and clubs at the building, breaking almost every pane of glass in the house.

At 9 o'clock Pleasant was arrested and the prisoner was hustled off to a side street and to the mayor's office. He was placed under a bond of $100, and was placed in the city jail. Meanwhile the mob continued its threats and a number of shots were fired.

At 10 o'clock Mayor King went to Ninth avenue and addressed the mob, pleading with them to disperse and let the law take its course.

He stated that Cronan's injuries were not serious, and advised them all to go home. His words had the proper effect, and within a few minutes the crowd dispersed.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., July 28.—A mob of hundreds of men armed with shotguns and revolvers and pitch forks is scouring the country in the vicinity of Logansport, Ind., for a negro who attempted to assault Mrs. Joseph Walls at her home near Lucerne, Cass county. All last night the mob kept on the trail of the man, with the help of bloodhounds, but he managed up to a late hour tonight to evade the pursuers.

QUEEN OPPOSED TO RAMPOLLA

She Fears If Elected He Will Fight for Full Temporal Power.

OREGLIA IS GAINING

Cardinals to Organize Party in Conclave Against Gibbons' Proposed Church Reforms.

CANDIDATES' AGENTS BUSY.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

(Special Cable to The Gazette.)

Rome, July 28.—Queen Margherita returned to Rome this morning to attend the anniversary mass for Umberto at the Pantheon tomorrow. The queen informed a friend she was anxious for the election of a liberal pope for the sake of religion. She says a liberal pope would not only allow but encourage Italian Catholics to vote and enter parliament.

Cardinal Capecelatro is the queen's first choice because his family is noble, dating to the early days of the Roman republic. Capecelatro's family also is connected with the house of Savoy, of which the queen is a member. The cardinal has been the queen's confessor. The king and queen are on friendly terms with Capecelatro. The cardinal is a patriot and frequently preaches to the clergy and people the love of the country. The queen's second choice is Vanutelli. If a liberal pope is elected the cardinal probably will let the vatican have the leonine city which is the part of Rome immediately surrounding the vatican. This offer will be made as a modus vivendi.

Oreglia Forging Ahead.

The queen fears Rampolla, who would fight to the bitter end for the restoration of full temporal power. Oreglia's position is improving as the conclave approaches. The cardinals esteem him highly, declaring his character is not tempered with consideration. The Jesuits favor him, as his brother is a Jesuit. Brandi, the Jesuit, editor of Civilta Cattolica, declares his election is certain, as he is a learned theologian and popular with the Romans.

The cardinals arriving in Rome are met by agents of the different candidates. Cardinals Gibbons and Richard were in conference for hours yesterday with Rampolla. Gibbons visited Vanutelli today. The French cardinals or a majority of them decline to follow the instructions of Delcasse to vote for Rampolla. Richard, Langenoux, Perand, La Bonte and others do not conceal their disapproval of Rampolla for not protesting against the anti-Liberal attitude of the French government.

Rampolla cannot count on their votes. Carlismism, disease still affecting Spain, whose cardinals, belonging to the Carlist party, refuse to vote for Rampolla who is a bitter opponent of the Carlists. Vanutelli and Aglardi are equally highly regarded by Austria.

Records Prove Obstacles.

The Hungarian cardinals are opposing Aglardi because of the bad impression made on their countrymen when he was nuncio at Vienna. Two German cardinals will vote first for Gotti as a compliment to the kaiser. They they will vote for Vanutelli for personal reasons.

The religious orders, Dominican, Franciscan, Jesuit and Benedictine will oppose Rampolla because he permitted the congregations to be expelled from France without protest.

The Spanish cardinal, Vives Y Tuto, is forming a circle favoring Rampolla, but Vanutelli will is easily the leading candidate. Tribuna tonight declares Gibbons has opened a campaign amongst the cardinals for church reform. The Tribuna says this has scandalized the Italian cardinals and a cabal has been formed against the daring American.

MARQUIS DE CASTELLANE.

WHITNEY WANTS A FAMOUS FARM

Millionaire Horseman Negotiating for Celebrated Belle Mead.

HAS THREE THOUSAND ACRES

Owner of Farm Died Recently and It May Be Soon Be Placed on the Market—Tract Is But Six Miles from Nashville.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NASHVILLE, TENN., July 28.—Announcement was made today that William C. Whitney, the New York millionaire horseman, had opened negotiations looking to the purchase of Belle Meade, located six miles west of this city, and known as the greatest stock farm in the south.

Owing to the recent death of W. H. Jackson, Jr., it is probable that the place will be sold, and Dr. M. W. Williams, proprietor of the Adelbert farm at Hopkinsville, has entered into correspondence with Mr. Whitney regarding the matter. Belle Meade consists of more than 3,000 acres, and some of the finest horses in the land are there.

The property for many years belonged to Gen. W. G. Harding, and at his death passed into the possession of Gen. W. H. Jackson, his son-in-law. Gen. Jackson died several months ago, and his son, W. H. Jackson, Jr., became the owner. Mr. Jackson died recently.

Mr. Whitney, it is said, has been desirous for some time of purchasing a large breeding farm in the south, and it is thought that he will, in the event Belle Meade is placed on the market, become a strong bidder for the place. It is also probable that John A. Drake of Chicago, who is a millionaire and a prominent horseman, may enter the lists and try to purchase Belle Meade.

Drake spent some time here last fall, and it is believed he would like to make a large investment in a stock breeding farm in this section. Months may elapse, however, before it is definitely determined whether or not Belle Meade will be sold.

HIS CHANCE AT HAND.

Conviction of Murphy Gives Jerome an Opportunity to Test Extortion Charges.

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—Declaring that the spirit of "graft" pervades nearly every phase of life in America, influencing corporations and public and private bodies, District Attorney Jerome said today that the demand of labor unions upon employers for "waiting time" for men on strike was legal and not extortion.

With the conviction of Lawrence Murphy for having stolen $12,000 from the Journeymen Stonecutters' union, the way is left open for Mr. Jerome to make a thorough examination of the circumstances surrounding the payment of the $30,000 check by the Brooklyn employers, and to determine whether the collection of this money from them constituted the crime of extortion.

POLICEMAN USED HIS GUN.

Shot Assailant Who Struck Him With a Blackjack and Kept His Prisoner.

Policeman Jacob Swartz of the Forty-third street police station, shot Henry Mullin in te left leg above the knee yesterday afternoon. Swartz went to Fifty-fourth and Butler streets and arrested William Maloney, 22 years old. When Swartz started away with his prisoner Mullin, who was standing nearby, pulled out a blackjack and struck the officer with it. Maloney tried to free himself and the officer was forced to shoot in order to keep his prisoner.

Mullin was removed to St. Francis' hospital. The wound is not severe. Mullin is 21 years old and has no home. He served several sentences in te workhouse, having been released only two weeks ago.

Yesterday's Smallpox Record.

Two cases of smallpox were reported yesterday as follows: Henry Joint, No. 3837 Ridge street, and Mrs. Ivor Thomas, No. 1807 Jane street.

THE WEATHER

Showers today and tomorrow and a decided fall in temperature is the forecast of the Washington weather observer for Pittsburgh and vicinity. Yesterday's maximum was 86. At 8 o'clock last evening the humidity was 57 per cent. The sun rose clear at 4:31 and set clear at 7:21 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Showers.

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.08	82	70	S.	Clear
8 p. m.	29.90	81	37	S.W.	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for July 28:

	1902	1901		1902	1901
Maximum	85	91	Mean	77	86
Minimum	69	75	Precipitation	.21	0
Max. tem., 4 p. m.	86		Ex. since January 1	1 307	
Min. tem., 7 a. m.	69		Nor. prec. 31 years	.14	
Mean temp.	72		Precip. for day	.00	
Nor. tem., 31 years	75		Defic. for the day	.14	
Defic. for the day	3		Ex. since July 1	1.13	
Defic. since July 1.	18		Defic. since Jan. 1	3.11	

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Showers Wednesday and probably Thursday; cooler Thursday; fresh to brisk southerly winds becoming westerly.

Ohio—Showers and cooler Wednesday; Thursday fair except showers along the lakes; fresh southerly winds becoming westerly.

West Virginia—Showers Wednesday with cooler in the west portion; Thursday showers with cooler in eastern portion.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.

Kansas City	88 Clear	Indianapolis	80 PtCldy
Oklahoma	90 PtCldy	Washington	76 Clear
Cairo	90 PtCldy	Philadelphia	74 PtCldy
Cincinnati	86 Cloudy	Louisville	90 PtCldy
Chicago	76 Rain	Pittsburg	78 Cloudy
Omaha	76 Cloudy	St. Paul	82 PtCldy
Des Moines	76 Cloudy	Marquette	66 Cloudy
Buffalo	72 Cloudy	New Orleans	78 PtCldy
St. Louis	88 Cloudy	Cheyenne	82 Clear
New York	68 Cloudy	Denver	88 Clear

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived July 28.

New York—Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, from Bremen; Armenian, from Liverpool; Menominee, from London; Potsdam, from Rotterdam.

Liverpool—Patricia, from New York for Hamburg.

London—Columbian, from Boston.

Glasgow—Hungarian, from Montreal; Numidian, from New York.

Antwerp—Finland, from New York.

Liverpool—Lake Michigan, from Montreal.

Hongkong—Empress of China, from Vancouver via Yokahama; Gaelic, from San Francisco via Honolulu.

Brow Head—Noordland, from Philadelphia, for Queenstown and Liverpool.

Bremen—Kaiser Wilhelm II., from New York via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

Plymouth—Patricia, from New York, for Cherbourg and Hamburg, and proceeded.

Queenstown—Noordland, from Philadelphia, for Liverpool, and proceeded.

Movilla—Ethiopia, from New York, for Glasgow, and proceeded.

Sailed July 28.

New York—Cevic, for Liverpool; Citta di Milano, for Naples and Genoa.

Liverpool—Ivernia, for Boston.

The big sale at Laird's begins Thursday morning at Both Stores.

ROCK ISLAND SYSTEM ACQUIRES ANOTHER LINE

Secures Control of Evansville & Terre Haute and Subsidiary Roads.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 28.—The Rock Island system, through the medium of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad, today acquired the control of the Evansville & Terre Haute and its subsidiary lines, by taking over the holdings of the syndicate headed by Edward S. Hooley, senior partner of the firm of Edward S. Hooley & Co., the failure of which was announced on Monday. Official announcement of the change in ownership was made late today by L. B. Pearson, assistant secretary of the Evansville & Terre Haute, after a meeting of the board of directors held at the office of the road.

Mr. Hooley resigned as president and director of the Evansville & Terre Haute and B. F. Yoakum, president of the St. Louis & San Francisco, was elected to succeed him in both offices. Mr. Hooley also resigned the presidency of several subsidiary roads and Mr. Yoakum was elected in his place. No other changes were made in the board of directors of any of the lines. W. L. Stow, of the suspended firm of W. L. Stow & Co., who is also a director of the Evansville & Terre Haute, retaining his connection with the property.

From sources other than official it was learned that the price paid was around 50.

TWO ACTRESSES HURT.

Lillian Russell and Blanche Bates Were Thrown from an Automobile.

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—Lillian Russell and Blanche Bates barely escaped death today in an automobile accident just outside of Jamaica, L. I. Miss Russell and Miss Bates were on their way from Far Rockaway to New York. Miss Russell was running the machine. As they drew near Jamaica she turned the automobile into a narrow road with the intention of taking a short cut.

When going at a high rate of speed she saw just ahead a team of horses coming at a brisk trot. The road was too narrow for the passing of two vehicles, and the machine was going too fast to stop. To avoid a collision the only alternative was to send the machine into the ditch. It was overturned and they were thrown out and for several minutes they were unable to move. Both suffered severe bruises and may be kept in bed for a few days.

COCKRAN IS HOPEFUL.

Thinks Cleveland Will Be Elected if He Secures Presidential Nomination.

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—"If Mr. Cleveland's friends can force his nomination, I think he will be elected." This is the opinion of W. Bourke Cockran, who arrived from Bremen today, a passenger on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

Regarding British politics Mr. Cockran said: "That all of England is just now much excited over Mr. Chamberlain's recently announced tariff plans. Personally, he thought Mr. Chamberlain was wrong in his advocacy of a preferential tariff, but Mr. Cockran did not think it worth while to discuss a cabled report that he intends taking up his residence in England for the purpose of assuming leadership of the free traders.

AUTHORESS OF NOTE DYING IN BALTIMORE

BALTIMORE, July 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Catherine Martha Crouch, widow of Prof. Crouch, author of "Kathleen Mavourneen," is critically ill at her home in this city. She is a sufferer from consumption. Mrs. Crouch gained recognition in the literary world as Miss Martha Vaughn prior to her marriage with Prof. Crouch, 39 years ago. She is a member of the Vaughn family of Virginia. Her husband died in 1898.

Robert Pitcairn Elected President.

Robert Pitcairn was yesterday made president of the Pittsburgh Union Stock Yards Company at the annual meeting of the directors, in the general offices of the Pennsylvania road, at Philadelphia. The stock yards are a part of the Pennsylvania system. They are now located at East Liberty, but will be moved within a short time to Herrs island. Samuel Rea was elected vice president. The following directors were elected: James McCrea, R. Pitcairn, L. F. Loree, S. W. Provost and Samuel Rea.

Coal Miners' Wages Advanced.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 23.—At the headquarters of the United Mine Workers in this city, it is announced that the miners and operators at Pittsburg, Kan., have reached a wage agreement for one year. The settlement, which grants an advance of seven cents on the ton, run-of-mine, affects 1,000 miners directly and indirectly. All the miners in Kansas, Missouri, Arkansas and Indian territory, are benefited.

Death of James Clare.

James Clare, 42 years old, died yesterday morning at his home, No. 713 Magee street. He was a member of Barkeepers' local No. 188. Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, when requiem high mass will be offered over his remains at the Epiphany Roman Catholic church in Washington street.

Allegheny Girl a Suicide.

Katherine Arnold, aged 19 years, committed suicide yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, in the rear of No. 511 Robinson street, Allegheny, by drinking a vial of carbolic acid. It was said the girl was despondent because she could not find work.

Guests Came from Germany.

ALTOONA, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Flack today celebrated the 50th anniversary of their marriage at their country home in Juniata Gap. Of the 500 guests at dinner, some came from Germany especially for the occasion.

Walking Delegates Deny Guilt.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Sam Parks and Timothy McCarthy, the walking delegates who have been indicted on charges of extortion, pleaded not guilty in the general sessions today. Ex-Magistrate Brann, counsel for the accused, will apply for a change of venue in the supreme court tomorrow.

TIPS FOR TODAY ON JAMAICA RACES

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—Tips at Jamaica for tomorrow:

The Journal:

First—Northern Star, Roue.

Second—Merito, Ethics.

Third—M. Theo, Black Socks.

Fourth—Duke of Kendal, Rosetint.

Fifth—The Bowery, Sailor Knot.

Sixth—Young Henry, Irish Jewel.

Three best bets—Roue, show; first race; M. Theo, place, third race; Duke of Kendal, straight, fourth race.

The Daily Telegraph:

First—Monte Carlo, Duellist, Yellow Tail.

Second—Water Tower, Merito, Homestead.

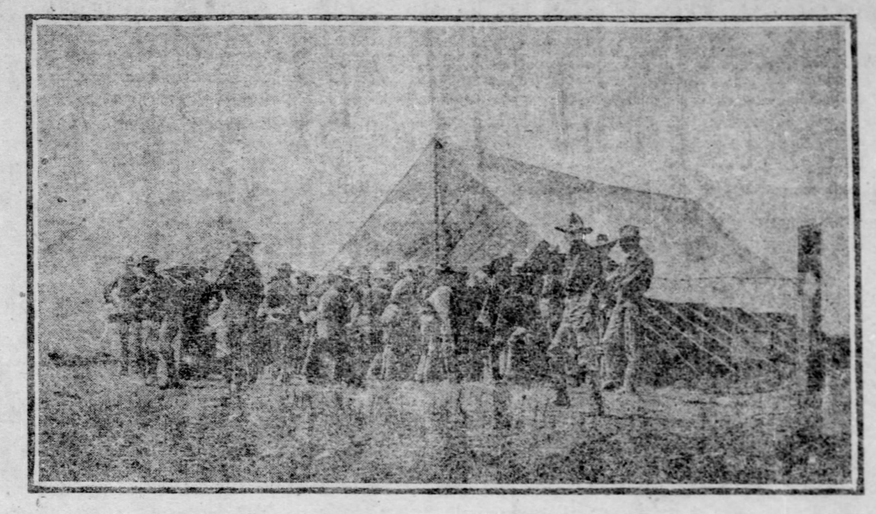
Third—Black Socks, M. Theo, Flower.

Fourth—Rosetint, Duke of Kendal, Atheiroy.

Fifth—Sailor Knot, The Bowery, The Brown Monarch.

Sixth—Young Henry, Irish Jewel, Merito.

BOYS OF NATIONAL GUARD IN CAMP M'KINLEY



Rallying At the Mess Tent.

MADE FALSE REPORTS.

Referee's Report Shows That New York Banking Concern Has a Deficiency.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 28.—Argument in the case of the New York Building Loan Banking Company, which was to have been heard today before Justice Herrick of the supreme court, was not had, because Attorney General Cunneen had arranged to change the venue from Albany county to New York county. The justice set August 1 as the date for the hearing.

State Superintendent of Banking Kilburn last December, through former Attorney General Davies, endeavored to have a receiver appointed for the company on the ground that it was insolvent. The attorneys of the company contested the action and from Justice Herrick secured a restraining order pending the appointment and report of a referee regarding the condition of the company.

The report of the referee, James F. Farren, who was appointed by Justice Herrick, was made public today. It alleges that the company had made false reports to the banking department of the state in 1900, 1901 and 1902; has a deficiency amounting to $317,467 and that its management has been extravagant and reckless, and for the protection of its shareholders as well as the general public, it should not be allowed to continue in business.

The officers of the company are Paul Worms, president; Mark Eustace, vice president; Wesley W. Bowlby, secretary and Paul O. Wiedeman, treasurer. The head office is at 111 Fifth avenue, New York.

COW WAS BLOWN UP.

Swallowed Dynamite and Her Agonized Racing Caused Explosion.

OWINGSVILLE, K. Y., July 28.—(Special.)—A peculiar accident took place at Bedford, where some workmen were engaged in digging a pond on Mrs. Chandler's farm. They left several sticks of dynamite lying on the ground while they worked. A cow grazing around swallowed two sticks.

The workmen noticed that the animal seemed distressed, but did not know what ailed her. Finally the cow began running, disappearing around a hill. A few minutes later there came a terrific explosion, and when the workmen reached the spot wheer the animal was last seen there was nothing left except a few pieces of flesh.

BURKE OUT FOR SHERIFF.

Former Democrat, but Now Republican, Says He Will Have Strong Support.

William J. Burke, formerly one of the best-known Democrats in Allegheny county, but now a Republican, last night announced himself as a candidate for sheriff. Mr. Burke is a trustee of the Order of Railway Conductors and is president of the Ann Oil Company. Mr. Burke said last night that he had been urged to enter the race by his friends and he has been assured strong support.

During the last fall election Mr. Burke was secretary of the Ballot Reform party and in the last municipal election stumped Allegheny for Dr. Samuel S. Woodburn, the Republican candidate for recorder.

WIFE CAME UNANNOUNCED.

Husband Gave Her a Violent Reception and the Usual Suit Follows.

John Russonbeck of Butler street, Etna, left a wife, Marie, in Russia three years ago. Catherine Moskle has been keeping house for him. Ten days ago Marie arrived in Etna unannounced. John declined to receive her and threw her and trunk into the street.

Mrs. Russonbeck charged her husband before Justice A. J. Needling with desertion, assault and larceny. John skipped to Butler yesterday, but was arrested and held for court on the charges of desertion and assault.

FOUND IN THE STREETS.

Nora Breen Taken in Charge by the Bradford Police.

A report reached The Gazette office last night, to the effect that Nora Breen, supposed to be the daughter of William J. Breen, a salesman residing at No. 1812 Penn avenue, had been taken in charge by the police at Bradford. It is stated that she was wandering around the streets.

A call was made at No. 1812 Penn avenue, but the family apparently was not at home. The people residing in the neighborhood said that the Breen family lived there and that there were four daughters.

CHANGE OF VENUE GRANTED IN ALLEGED BRIBERY CASES

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., July 28.—Judge Hozell today overruled the demurrer in the case against State Senator Frank Farris, charged with accepting a bribe of $1,000 from Lieut. Gov. Lee and called it case for trial. The application for a change of venue was granted by Judge Hazell and the bribery cases will not come before him for trial. Former Lieut. Gov. Lee arrived this afternoon and will be the principal witness for the state.

Messenger Got His Dues.

Annie Mislow disposed of the bearer of a vile note in a summary manner at Homestead, last evening. Michael Novenich handed her a note, saying he had been sent from the mill with it by another man. The young woman read it and then seized a bucket of dirty water standnig near her, and dashed it over the head of the messenger. His clothing was ruined and he was nearly choked. In a suit which he entered against the assailant, the latter was discharged as soon as Justice J. P. Jones read the note.

Held on Murder Charge.

PHILADELPHIA, July 28.—Patrick Shea, alias Sheeran, who is wanted in New York for the murder of William McMahan, and who was arrested here yesterday, was given a hearing today and held to await the requisition papers from New York. McMahan's widow identified Shea. When recognized Shea is reported to have said: "It is all up with me now."

The murder occurred on May 5, and was the result of a quarrel.

FOUR DROWNED IN ALLEGHENY

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bravely trying to keep Edna Shipley and Annie McIntyre from sinking, fell backward, unable to longer continue the struggle, and he and the girls sank.

Two Thrilling Rescues.

The skiffs carrying the rescuing parties were in the slackwater above the dam and from there a line was thrown to little Lena Dedig. She tied it about her body and was drawn up. William Kestner and Erb Jamison, both expert swimmers, went over the wiskets on ropes and the McIntyre girl was caught by the hair just as she was about to go under for the third time. Both the drown boys and Fred Bulger and Edna Shipley had by this time been sucked into the whirlpool and their bodies were not seen again. Bulger's body came to the surface half an hour later and was brought ashore in a skiff.

Spectators on the bank of the river said after the accident that young Joseph Brown had sacrificed his life in endeavoring to save the lives of the two little girls, as, had he not struggled to keep them up he could have saved himself by clinging to the boat. It is a peculiar feature of the tragedy that the skiff never sank below the surface of the stream. Being lodged against the base of the wickets it was held in place by the suction of the water swirling back under the bear-trap.

The McIntyre girl was unconscious and almost dead when brought ashore, and heroic measures were adopted to resuciate her. She finally recovered consciousness and was taken to her home where it was said last night that she is suffering severely from nervous shock.

Tragedy Witnessed by Hundreds.

The river bank and River avenue were well crowded last night at the time the party started in the skiff from the foot of Upland alley, and the drowning of the four and the rescue of the two girls were witnessed by several hundred people. The excitement during the time the six were fighting for their lives was intense and later the homes of the bereaved families were visited by scores of curious ones who pried into the scenes of sorrow that followed the carrying of the news.

At the Brown home the most pathetic scenes were enacted. The mother of the two boys, now well advanced in years, was prostrated when a neighbor told her abruptly that Henry and Joseph had been drowned. Mrs. Brown has been bed-ridden with illness for weeks, and at a late hour last night she was unconscious, and her death was expected. The sorrowing father and sisters tearfully watched at the bedside of their aged mother, and kind neighbors did their best to prevent the invasion of the curious.

In the Bulger and Shipley homes, almost similar scenes were enacted. Little Lena Dedig was none the worse for her awful experience after she had had her clothes changed, and she spoke clearly in telling her story to a reporter for The Gazette.

Lena Dedig Tells Her Story.

"We went out with the boys just about 7 o'clock," she said, "and in a few minutes were caught by the current. Joe and Henry Brown tried to pull the skiff away but they couldn't. Then it began to fill with water and I was sure we would all be drowned. I was on my knees in the boat and I prayed out loud. I was so scared. Joe Brown tried to hold Edna and Annie in the boat until they saved us, but he went under just before Willie Kester came with a rope. I caught the rope when they threw it and tied it around my body. Then they got Annie McIntyre by the hair. I did not see any of the boys after they went down."

Mrs. Martha Blair of No. 911 Main street witnessed the accident and said last night: "I think if all had stayed in the skiff none of them would have been drowned. Joe Brown held two of the girls up by getting out of the boat, but I think had he remained in with the girls he would have been saved."

This theory seems to be borne out by the fact that the skiff did not sink and was dislodged from where it lay, almost submerged, nearly an hour after it had been drawn into the whirl-pool. It was brought ashore and baled out.

Fireman Richardson's Theory.

Fireman Charles Richardson said: "The bear-trap was open during the recent spell of high water and an immense volume of water rushed through the narrow channel. I think this dug a deep hole into the bed of the river, just below the bear-trap, and that when the wickets were put up a back-current was created. It was in this the boat was caught and it is a wonder to me it was not sucked down under the base of the wickets into the hole."

All last night gangs of men, mostly friends of those who had lost their dear ones, worked with grappling irons in an endeavor to find the bodies that were in the muddy current. None ventured very near the spot where the fated boat was swept over by the treacherous current.

Hundreds of people lined the banks and discussed the tragedy in its every detail. Silent among the crowd stood William Brown, the father of the two drowned boys. He was watching the men in the boats, hoping for at least the finding of the bodies of his boys, and none disturbed him in his sorrow. The father of little Edna Shipley was there, too, and waited in vain for the recovery of the body of his daughter.

The body of Edna Shepley, one of the four young people drowned in the Allegheny river near Herr's island last night, was recovered at 1 o'clock this morning a short distance below the scene of the accident.

Killed During a Quarrel.

AKRON, O., July 28.—(Special.)—In a brawl here tonight among teamsters, Frank Reifsnyder, 54 years old, was killed in a fall, after being struck, it is alleged, by Frank Umsted. The fight arose over a triviality between Henry Trumpher and Reifsnyder. The alleged assailants have been arrested.

Old Vesuvius Dying Out.

NAPLES, July 28.—(Special.)—The activity of Vesuvius has further diminished. Explosions are less frequent and the quantity of lava emitted is now almost unnoticeable.

HIS SALARY HELD UP.

Assistant Postmaster General Bristow Refuses to Pay Charles Hedges.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow has held up the undrawn salary of Charles Hedges, the recently dismissed superintendent of the city delivery service, for the last week of his service, pending the settlement of his expense account. Hedges had asked for leave of absence for 16 days, to begin on the day of his removal, but Mr. Bristow has never contemplated granting the leave.

The inspectors have been investigating a number of local matters in this city, in which it is alleged George W. Beavers, the former chief of the division of salaries and allowances, was concerned. The grand jury, which has been considering postal cases, has not yet reported, and no specific date for the bringing in of indictments has yet been fixed, though it is fully expected they will be reported some time this week.

WHAT IT PROTECTS.

Fitzhugh Lee Says Lynching Prevents Humiliation of a Court Trial.

KANSAS CITY, MO., July 28.—(Special.)—Gen. Fitzhugh Lee of Virginia is in Kansas City today on the way to make an address at the Chautauqua assembly at Beloit tomorrow. Speaking of lynching, Gen. Lee said:

"I don't believe in lynching. Nobody believes in lynching. However, there is one of the objects attained by lynching that is seldom considered. If a man, say a negro, shall assault a woman, perhaps some very dear relative of yours, he has got to be killed or arrested.

"If this negro is brought into the court room the woman must appear and perhaps under the cross-examination be subjected to humiliation of an extreme degree."

SEQUEL TO A FAILURE.

Residence of Foxhall Keen Has a Mechanics Lien Filed Against It.

MINEOLA, L. I., July 28.—(Special.)—There were filed in the county clerk's office today three mechanics' liens against the property of Foxhall Keene at Westbury for material and labor by Jacob & Youngs. The filing of the liens is reported to have been caused by failure of Talbot J. Taylor & Co., Keene's bankers.

Keene is a prominent member of the Meadowbrook club and its master of the hounds. He is expected home from Europe soon. He is one of the most famous gentleman riders of this country and England and his residence at Wheatley Hills is a magnificent structure.

POOLS WERE SOLD.

Pittsburgh Bookmaker Defies the Officers at the Cleveland Circuit Races.

CLEVELAND, O., July 28.—(Special.)—Despite the order of the court that no pools should be sold at the Grand Circuit races in Glenville this week, a hand-book appeared today and many bets of large amounts were made. A bookmaker named McGee from Pittsburgh is said to be back of the move and he insists that if the constables from Glenville pester him any more he will fight.

Feeling is high here and the many "touts" and "swipes" on the grounds are anxious for a chance to quarrel. Three arrests were made today for alleged pool selling and when a Cleveland politician went to bail them out, he was thrown into jail on the ground that he was creating a disturbance.

PROJECT FOR MERGER OF CAR WHEEL COMPANIES

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 28.—(Special.)—A merger of the car wheel manufacturing companies of the country is being promoted by President Charles Chapin of the Rochester car wheel works. Details are not worked out, but it is expected they will be by September. At least 10 of the largest eastern concerns in Rochester, Buffalo, Wilmington, Baltimore, Boston and other New England cities, will be included. Appraisers are at work and will report on the value of each plant.

HAWAII TO ASK FOR ITS INDEPENDENCE

HONOLULU, July 28.—At today's session of the home rule convention, ex-Delegate Wilcox urged that congress be memorialized to grant Hawaiian independence. He also strongly favored the establishment of a government for the islands similar to that of Cuba. His remarks were received with much applause. It is probable that a petition embodying the views expressed by Wilcox will be prepared for presentation to congress by Delegate Kalalanole.

Man Shot Colored Woman.

MCDONALD, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—Georgie Winston, colored, was shot here today by Will Lee, with whom she had been living. The shot entered her left shoulder and came out of the breast. She is in the Pittsburgh hospital and will probably recover. Lee got away and has not been apprehended.

Baby Found in River.

FREEDOM, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—The drowned body of a babe a few hours old was found in the mouth of a tributary of the Ohio river here this morning by a fishing party. This is the third occurrence of the kind within a month.

DIED.

CLARE—On Wednesday, July 28, 1903, at 8:30 a. m., at his residence, No. 713 McGee street, JAMES CLARE, aged 42 years.

Funeral services on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Requiem high mass at Epiphany Catholic church, Washington street. Friends of the family and members of Bartenders' local No. 188, are respectfully invited to attend.

LOCAL CAPITAL TO BUY ENTIRE RAILROAD SYSTEM

Pittsburghers Considering Making a Heavy Investment in Central America.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, LA., July 28.—Theodore W. Soloman, financial agent for the Nicaraugan republic in the United States, with offices in this city and New York, was authority for the statement that a syndicate of Pittsburgh capitalists are about to close a deal for the purchase of the Nicaraugan railroad running from Grenada to Corinto, a distance of 160 miles for $3,250,000 United States money. Mr. Soloman states that the transaction was being negotiated by Isham Sedgewick who has been in Managua conferring with President Zelaya for the past two weeks.

The Pittsburghers have ample capital to back them and if the deal pans out they will have one of the most valuable railroad properties in Central America. According to Soloman's statement the Pittsburghers have been looking for an opportunity of investing in railroad properties in Nicaragua for the past year and they were particularly anxious to get hold of the Grenada and Corinto line.

Once they assume charge they will control the most valuable transportation facilities in the country and from a military and political standpoint they will own the key to the entire commercial strength of Nicaragua.

CLAIM OF BRIBERY.

Juryman Tells Court That Bank Attempted to Force Money on Him.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., July 28.—A sensation was sprung in the circuit court when Judge M. M. Allison called the jury in the Whiteside will contest case, involving an estate of nearly $1,000,000 into court and asked them if any attempt had been made to unduly influence them in their verdict. The jury had deadlocked for more than a week. James Goodson, a farmer, who is one of the jurors, stated to the court that on Saturday last, he went to the Chattanooga Savings bank and asked for change for a $5 bill. The teller pushed him $10 in silver. He swore that when he returned the money, the teller pushed out another pile insted of taking the surplus $5.

The Chattanooga Savings bank is one of the three executors of the Whiteside estate and the testimony of its officers was strongly in favor of sustaining the will.

Judge Allison immediately issued attachments for the bank officials.

BATTLED IN STREETS.

Saloon Keepers and Temperance Advocates Clash in an Indiana Town.

SHELBYVILLE, IND., July 28.—(Special.)—A pitched battle took place today at Waldron between the saloon keepers and the temperance folk in which clubs and guns were used freely.

Blanket remonstrances have ousted Al Peake, Charles Riser and George Arnold, and for two days Peake has kept the village in misery and constant dread with his gun.

Today the citizens and Constable George McCully attempted Peake's arrest and a battle ensued. Several shots were fired by Peake, but only one took effect, slightly, in the top of McCully's head. Peake was felled by a club and disarmed, as was also Matt Bugl, and both were lauded in jail. Peake says the trouble arose over an insult made to his wife by McNally and a lawsuit is threatened by Peak against the officer.

DID NOT APPEAR.

Miss Davis Fails to Answer Summons in the Hendricks Divorce Case.

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Agnes Hendricks, who is suing Dr. Charles C. Hendricks for a limited divorce, went to Coney Island yesterday to serve the order of Justice Gaynor, compelling Miss Lillian Lewis to give testimony in the case before Referee Russell. Miss Lewis was found at Luna park, and a copy of the order and a dollar bill, which she spurned, were handed her.

The order directed her to appear at the office of the referee, but at the hour designated she did not put in her appearance and it is said that the referee will apply for an order to show why she should not be punished for contempt of court. Mrs. Hendricks asserts that Miss Lewis denies she witnessed any lovemaking between Mrs. Hendricks and her brother, but she had refused to make an affidavit.

CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

Woman Arrested in Cleveland for Signing Pittsburgh Man's Name to Note.

CLEVELAND, O., July 28.—(Special.)—The charge of forging the name of A. T. Anderson of Pittsburgh to a note for $2,500 is placed against Mrs. Helen A. Thompson, who recently purchased a hotel of W. J. Harvey.

The arrest was made at the instance of Harvey, who states that in the transfer of the property Mrs. Thompson gave him a note for $2,500 signed by Anderson. He claims that the signature of the note was forged and that it is worthless. The woman has been in possession of the place but a short time. Harvey discovered the alleged forgery of the note when he attempted to negotiate it.

CRIPPLED BOY AWAITS ARRIVAL OF DR. LORENZ

ST. LOUIS, July 28.—(Special.)—Carl Busch, the 12-year-old son of Adolphus Busch, the millionaire brewer, the unfortunate youth whom Dr. Lorenz declared he could cure when he saw him here a year ago, is now at Saranac Lake, N. Y., awaiting for members of the Busch family to arrive to authorize an operation by Dr. Lorenz for congenital hip disease. It is reported that a $40,000 fee will be paid to Dr. Lorenz if he cures the Busch youth, who has never been able to walk.

ALLEGHENY MAN IS SUED BY HIS WIFE

BUTLER PA., July 28.—(Special.)—Mrs. Margaret Edwards of West street, Butler, has entered a bill of equity against her divorced husband, Isaac S. Edwards of Allegheny, asking for a decree compelling him to deliver her an insurance policy for $1,000, taken out by their son, William E. Edwards, who died of typhoid fever July 10, in the West Penn hospital. After the boy's death the father obtained possession of the policy and refuses to give it up.

WHISKY BARREL EXPLODES, FATALLY INJURING A BOY

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 28.—(Special.)—A lamp was upset in the saloon of Andrew Klech tonight and a barrel of whisky exploded. Frank Klech, 7 years old, a son of the proprietor, was sitting close by and received burns from which he will die.

Railroad Officers Meet.

DETROIT, MICH., July 28.—The Central Association of Railway Officers, representing the operating departments of railroads in the middle west, which was in session here today, elected the following officers: President, J. E. Flanders, Springfield, O.; first vice president, J. A. Gordon, Cincinnati; second vice president, C. O. Johnson, Kansas City, Mo.; secretary and treasurer, O. G. Fetter, Cincinnati.

CARDINALS' MASS FOR DEAD POPE

Great Array of Church Dignitaries and Impressive Scenes.

STILL HUNTING THE RING

Member of Noble Guard Who Was Overcome is Placed Under Arrest. Conclave Formed for Rampolla Faction.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ROME, July 28.—The first of the three great requiem masses under the auspices of the sacred college for the repose of the soul of Pope Leo was celebrated this morning in the Sistine chapel. All the cardinals, the diplomatic corps, the Roman nobility and many other distinguished persons were present. No such mass had been seen in Rome since the death of Pius IX.

Cardinal Gibbons had no part in the celebration of the mass. He sat beside Cardinal Martinelli, among the extraordinary array of cardinals.

The Tribuna says that the fisherman's ring, which could not be found after the death of the pope, may be discovered in some drawer, which was sealed up and cannot be opened until after the election of the new pope. The camerlingo, Cardinal Oreglia, has ordered a new one for use in the symbolic ceremony which occurs immediately after the successor to Leo is chosen.

Noble Guardsman Arrested.

The member of the noble guard who was overcome during the requiem mass in the Sistine chapel this morning while on duty beside the catafalque was Count Stampa, who a few days ago was placed under arrest for feigning illness. Today he had a slight attack of syncope.

It is officially announced that in addition to the will of the late pope and separate from it Leo XIII. left a trifling present to each of a long list of relatives, members of the papal household, prelates, doctors, cardinals, etc.

That there is a conviction at the vatican that the conclave will be of short duration, is proved by the fact that all those who are to enter the conclave to minister to the wants of the cardinals have been engaged for July, three days. The two camps into which the sacred college is divided appear to be becoming daily more irreconcilable.

Divided into Two Camps.

It is stated that the anti-Rampolla faction has declared that, if necessary to defeat the opposition they will even go to the length of supporting a foreign cardinal. The name of Cardinal Kopp, bishop of Breslau, was mentioned in this connection, but was hardly considered seriously, owing to the belief that under present conditions the elevation of a German to the papacy might mean the irreparable loss of France to the holy see.

Today's meeting of the congregation of cardinals was very short. After an exchange of views on current affairs, Mgr. Merry Del Val, secretary of the consistorial congregation, gave each cardinal a diagram showing where his apartments in the vatican will be located during the conclave.

DISORDER AT MASS.

Paris Crowds Attempt Riots During Services for Pope—Several Arrests Made.

PARIS, July 28.—The impressive funeral services in Notre Dame cathedral at noon today for the repose of the soul of Pope Leo assumed a distinctly official aspect owing to the presence of the leading officials of the government, the leading foreign Minister Delcasse, War Minister Andre and representatives of President Loubet and Mme. Saint Prix, the president's daughter.

The threatened disorderly demonstrations outside the cathedral did not occur. A large force of military and police reserves were held in readiness to suppress any disturbance. One man was arrested for shouting "down with the priests," and others were taken into custody in connection with incipient efforts to start demonstrations when the officials left the church.

As one of the men arrested passed the church doors he shouted "death to the pope." A crowd followed the police, shouting their intention to throw the would-be disturber of the peace into the river, but he was safely lodged in jail.

SERMON BY DONAHUE.

Bishop of Wheeling Preaches at Mass for Leo in Cardinal Gibbons' Place.

BALTIMORE, MD., July 28.—Impressive memorial services for the late Pope Leo XIII. were held in the cathedral this morning, the cathedral being the primatial church of the country. Among the prelates who officiated were the papal delegate, Archbishop Falconio, Bishops Donahue of Wheeling, Monaghan of Wilmington, Van De Vyver of Richmond, and Curtis, vicar general of the archdiocese of Baltimore.

The sermon was preached by Bishop Donahue of Wheeling. Archbishop Falconio was celebrant of the mass. The musical program was one of the most classic which has ever been rendered in this country at a requiem service.

CABAL BEING FORMED.

Cardinal Gibbons Causing His Colleagues Surprise by His Ultra Modern Ideas.

ROME, July 28.—(Special Cable.)—Cardinal Gibbons' frank attitude in regard to the forthcoming papal election proved a great surprise to several other cardinals, according to the Tribuna. Some cardinals are absolutely scandalized by Cardinal Gibbons' ultra modern ideas and language.

The Tribuna mentions Cardinal Gennari, Cardinal Cavicchioli and Cardinal Vives as those who are endeavoring to form a party to oppose Cardinal Gibbons in the conclave.

Mayor Black's Father Is Dead.

Samuel Black, 83 years old, father of former Mayor Robert Black of McKeesport, died yesterday morning at the home of his son at No. 809 Ninth avenue, that city. Dr. Black of Mt. Clemens, Mich., and a telegram was sent him yesterday announcing the death of his father. Mr. Black had been in failing health since last winter. He was born at Freeport, Pa., and in his youth removed to Tarentum, where he followed the trade of a blacksmith for many years. He had been a resident of McKeesport for the past 25 years. Funeral services will be held today and the interment will take place on Friday at Tarentum in the family burial plot.

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ALUM WATER MEN GOT HEAVY BLOW

Sterrett Resolution Permits Only Sand Filtration to Be Taken Up.

LOBBY VICTIM OF STRATEGY

Sahner Resolution Purposely Lost—Lambie to Call Meeting of Select Council for Friday and He Will Appoint Only Advocates of Sand System.

The filtration advocates are secure in their victory in common council Monday night, and are confident they have dealt the alum-water scheme a blow from which it cannot recover. The next move on the councilmanic checker board will be to call a meeting of the select branch to pass the Sterrett resolution providing for the appointment of a joint committee to assist Director E. M. Bigelow in the preparation of estimates for a sand filtration plant large enough to supply the entire city.

A meeting of select council will probably be called today by President John S. Lambie for Friday afternoon. The Sterrett resolution bars further consideration of the mechanical filtration bugaboo which has hovered over councils recently, as the resolution specifically provides:

"That the director of the department of public works be directed to make the present plans of filtration plant on such a scale as will supply every portion of the city with filtered water, and to report the same to councils at the first regular meeting in September."

It will be observed that the above resolution mentions "present plans," which are for a sand filtration plant. It is claimed that they do not provide for the South Side and the purpose in asking Director Bigelow to prepare estimates is to make certain that the section south of the Monongahela river is included.

Committee for Sand System.

The joint committee will favor sand filtration. The committee is composed of three members from the common and two from the select branch. At least one of the three members, J. G. Armstrong, appointed from the common branch, is an advocate of sand filtration.

President Lambie of select council is an ardent advocate of sand filtration and the two members whom he will appoint will be sand filtration men. President Lambie stated yesterday in emphatic terms that sand filtration was the only plan to consider and the alum water project ought not to be taken into consideration. With at least one member from common council and two members from select, the sand filtration people will have a majority of the special committee whose mission it will be to confer with Director Bigelow and to compel action in time for councils to take up the matter and settle it at the first regular meeting in September.

Common Councilman J. C. Wasson to whose energetic efforts the meeting of common council Monday night was due, expressed satisfaction yesterday over the results of the meeting. He said:

"It was decidedly a victory for sand filtration. A majority of the committee appointed to confer with Director Bigelow in the preparation of estimates will be sand filtration men, for President Lambie will appoint no others, and the committee cannot under the Sterrett resolution take up any other system. I first wanted the resolution to go to the finance committee, thinking it meant some expense, but I withdrew my objection when Dr. Sterrett assured me there would be no expense.

Wasson Is Pleased.

"It will have to go to the finance committee, finally, anyway. When the special committee makes its report the finance committee will have to pass upon any recommendations in reference to the expenditure of money which the report will contain."

Chairman W. H. Stevenson said yesterday that the finance comittee would not meet until the special committee had made its report, and that it would then promptly take up the matter and decide it quickly.

The mechanical lobbyists were somewhat encouraged yesterday morning when they read the headlines of some of the papers announcing the alum water scheme would now be taken up. They proceeded to boast of having won a victory until their attention was called to the terms of the Sterrett resolution, which is of entirely different character from the Sahner resolution.

The Sahner resolution eliminated sand filtration altogether, while the Sterrett resolution leaves out the alum water system. The Sahner resolution was a part of the report adopted by the filtration committee, but the Citizens managers fearing the force of public sentiment by further agitating the alum water idea, arranged to quietly sidetrack it. This was done by omitting the Sahner resolution, when Chairman Thomas M. Brown presented the report of the filtration committee. Mr. Sahner was not prepared for this move, and when he realized that he had been the subject of a little strategy he insisted upon his resolution being produced.

Sahner Resolution Side-Tracked.

It was found in the possession of the clerk, but was defeated. This was a substantial victory for the sand filtration men and they rejoiced at the defeat of the pet scheme of the alum water lobby.

The fine Italian hand of Thomas S. Bigelow was recognized in the proceedings. Mr. Bigelow is said to have been responsible for the Sterrett resolution. He gave out an interview yesterday declaring in favor of sand filtration and agreeing to the contention of The Gazette that speedy action should be taken.

Director E. M. Bigelow will return to the city tomorrow or Friday, and he will be expected to give the special committee of councils prompt aid.

The mortuary report of the city health bureau shows 97 cases with 9 deaths from typhoid in the city in the week between July 18 and 26, with 10 new cases of the disease yesterday.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE REDUCES THE NIAGARA FALLS EXCURSION RATE FROM $7.45 TO $5.00 THE ROUND TRIP FOR ONE EXCURSION, SATURDAY, AUGUST 1.

What promises to be the largest excursion from this city this season will be the one to Niagara Falls via the Lake Erie railroad on Saturday, August 1, a result of the low rate introduced as an offset to the seashore excursions. The Pittsburgh & Lake Erie people are arranging for a special train in the morning at 9:25 (city time), and also a night special leaving at 10 p. m. (city time), both running through to Niagara Falls without change. They have also lengthened the time limit on these tickets over that of previous years to five days. The nicest coaches and the most modern Pullman parlor cars and sleepers are being made ready to handle the big crowd expected, and the company is advertising that tickets should be purchased in advance at No. 357 Fifth avenue in order to secure best Pullman accommodations.

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FORTY SURVIVORS OF GALLANT REGIMENT HOLD ANNUAL REUNION

Members of the One Hundred and Second Pennsylvania Volunteers.
Back Row—J. B. McKenna, S. J. Jones, D. S. Salisbury and J. J. Black.
Front Row—Fred Diest, Thomas E. Perry and Master Walter Sherman Perry.

The annual reunion of the One Hundred and Second regiment, Pennsylvania volunteers, was held at Kennywood park yesterday. The 40 surviving members were present, with their wives and families, and after a short business session in the morning, those attending enjoyed the amusements in the park.

The business meeting was presided over by Capt. Samuel M. Duval, tipstaff of common pleas court No. 1, who has been president of the regimental association for the past 15 years. He was re-elected president, and Capt. W. H. H. Wasson, father of Councilman Joseph C. Wasson, and James McLaughlin, vice presidents. John Renton was re-elected treasurer. Prestly S. Brown was elected secretary to succeed David Jones of the South Side, who died recently.

The meeting concluded with a camp fire. Speeches were made by Capt. Wasson, John Morcland, David Douthett, the chaplain of the regiment, and Frank Blair, of the Third Pennsylvania volunteers. The secretary's report showed that 12 members had died during the past year, making the mortality rate less for that year than any one preceding.

The regiment was originally organized as the Thirtieth Pennsylvania for the three months' service, and after the members were mustered out at the expiration of that time, was reorganized as the One Hundred and Second. In 14 days after being mustered out eight companies had been organized and were in Washington, while in one month after the mustering out the regiment had been increased to 12 companies. After the three years' enlistment expired the members re-enlisted and served until the end of the war.

The regiment is almost distinctly a Pittsburgh one and has a gallant service record. It ranks among the best regiments this state had during the civil war. Some of its members are well-known citizens of this city and few reside outside of Western Pennsylvania.

WEDDING TOOK PLACE IN FRONT OF POLICE

Knoxville Couple Found the Alderman In the Public Safety Building, and the Ceremony Was Performed There.

Hymen's altar was established in Superintendent of Detectives Thomas A. McQuaide's office last night. This room is usually used to sweat criminals and extort evidence from them, but shortly after 9 o'clock the marriage of Nathan Leake, 50 years old, to Eleanor Lewis, 25 years old, was performed there by Alderman James R. Connor. The binding of the nuptial knot was witnessed by the police officials and a number of the city detectives.

The bride and groom live in Knoxville. The bridegroom is a store-keeper. For years Miss Lewis was in his employ. They recently discovered they loved each other, Leake proposed and was accepted. Leake went to the court house yesterday afternoon and secured a license. Last night they sought Alderman Connor at his office. Learning that he was at the public safety building they went there.

Making their business known to Alderman Connor, he asked Superintendent McQuaide if he had any objections to the wedding being performed there. McQuaide said he would do anything he could to help the affair along. The detectives and officers stood while the ceremony was being performed, and the couple trembled as they looked on the faces of the stern-faced men. When the ceremony was over the groom handed George W. Cole $5 for a box of cigars for the front office men and then the couple departed from the building. The bridegroom had been married before.

WILL FIGHT THE CHARTERS.

Pittsburgh Railways Company Representatives to Appear Before Attorney General.

The quo warranto proceedings entered by the Pittsburgh Railways Company against the incorporators of a number of traction companies, which during the past two months have been granted charters to build lines in Pittsburgh, will be heard today in Harrisburg by the attorney general, S. S. Lesslie, who has taken an active part in seeking the charters, will be on hand. He left here last night accompanied by John S. Wendt of the law firm of Watson & McCleave.

The Pittsburgh Railways Company has objected to two charters of the new traction syndicate. The syndicate wants a right of way along streets already occupied by the tracks of the Pittsburgh Railways Company, and on one street in the East End it wants to use an abandoned track of the old Consolidated Company. The Pittsburgh Railways Company proposes to fight this, and will be ably represented today at Harrisburg.

The real promoters of the new syndicate have so far kept in the back ground. The active work has been done by S. S. Lesslie and the firm of Watson & McCleave. The surveys have been made by J. H. Mitholland, a civil engineer of No. 413 Fourth avenue. Preliminary plans have been prepared by this engineer which call for a system of rapid transit lines extending from the business center of Pittsburgh to the East End and Southside. The route to the East End, it is said, will be a subway. Mr. Lesslie refuses to discuss the matter.

OPERA HOUSE MOVED.

Clever Piece of Engineering Completed Without a Hitch of Any Kind.

The moving of the Grand opera house to its new location was finished yesterday. At 1 p. m. the big building had been moved 22 feet from its old place in Diamond alley to the rear of the entrance in Fifth avenue. As soon as the work was completed, Bernard Ruud of the firm of Charles H. Reeter & Co., the moving contractors, notified the building contractors that they could begin to put in the underpinning.

Mr. Ruud said the work was done without an accident to any of the workmen and without causing a break even in the plaster. The building weighed 5,000 tons, and is the second heaviest moving job ever done in the world. The heaviest was in Chicago, but the structure moved there was not so large as the Grand opera house. The work on the opera house was begun on Saturday. Excluding the time occupied in arranging the blocks and tackle and screws, the actual moving time was at the rate of a foot an hour.

Some of the best workmen the firm has are Italians. These men are not from the southern part of Italy, whence so many common laborers come, but chiefly from the seaport towns in the northern part of the Italian peninsulas and the Austrian port of Trieste, an Italian-speaking city.

ELEVEN-YEAR-OLD BOY SAVES SISTER'S LIFE

Three children of Henry Stephens were playing on the deck of the houseboat Daisy at the mouth of Chartiers creek, McKees Rocks, yesterday, when Katie, 7 years old, fell overboard. Her brother John, 11 years old, jumped in and rescued her as she was going down for the third time. The family lives on the boat and the boy is an expert swimmer.

WRONG MRS. DUGAN COLLECTED THE CASH

Two Thomas Dugans live in Millvale. Last week Contractor T. B. Murphy sent a letter to Thomas Dugan saying $16 10 was awaiting him at the office in the Conestoga building. It is alleged that the letter went to the wrong Dugan's home, and that the wife of the latter collected the money. Justice J. J. Walker of Wilkinsburg last night held Mrs. Dugan on a charge of false pretense.

MALONE WILL BE THE HEAD

During the Absence of Supt. McTighe He Will Control the Police Department.

The family troubles in the Pittsburgh police department have practically been settled. Should Supt. John P. McTighe have occasion to leave the city again, Asst. Supt. T. D. Malone will operate the department. Public Safety Director Harry Moore said yesterday that he assigned Captain Albert Teeters to look after the department during Supt. McTighe's absence, instead of Asst. Supt. Malone, because the former had more experience in the police business. Mayor William B. Hays, with whom Malone lodged his complaint, will not interfere.

Supt. McTighe returned yesterday morning from Chicago, where he attended the funeral of Police Inspector John D. Shea, and took hold of his department again. He said he was surprised to learn of the differences that had arisen between Asst. Supt. Malone and Director Moore.

"Director Moore delegated Captain Teeters to operate the department during my absence," said Supt. McTighe, "because Captain Teeters knew more about the business. I don't think there will be any more trouble regarding the affair."

Director Moore said that Roy Fraker, clerk to Supt. McTighe, had been discharged from the service. The director said that actions such as Fraker was accused of would not be tolerated in the department. Inspector Bernard McStay returned to duty yesterday.

PRELATES ARE COMING.

Distinguished Catholic Clergymen to attend the Total Abstinence Union Convention.

Many Catholic dignitaries will attend the 23d national convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence union in Pittsburgh next week. The Rev. John G. Beane was notified that among those coming were Archbishop P. J. Ryan of Philadelphia, accompanied by 200 delegates and visitors; Bishop F. J. Muldoon, Judge Walter Gibbon and a large delegation from Chicago.

Among the uniformed societies coming will be the Allen Tourist club of Erie, 150 strong; Knights of Father Mathew, 150 strong, and the Father Mathew Cadets, 100 members, from St. Louis.

The executive committee has been completed and will include the Rt. Rev. Dr. Regis Canevin, the Rev. M. A. Lambing, the Rev. E. M. McKeever, the Rev. F. J. McCabe, the Rev. Thomas Devlin, the Rev. M. M. Sheedy, the Rev. John Price, the Rev. Ferdinand Kittell, the Rev. J. J. Grady, the Rev. F. A. Carroll, A. B. Floyd, Patrick McSteen, Joseph Weldon, Robert Sheehan, P. B. Condron, John M. Tighe, John J. Buckley, Joseph H. O'Donnell, J. J. Maloney, P. H. Thornton, Charles D. McSpane, Stephen Madden, William H. Griffin, Robert S. Reed, John Finn, Mrs. John Horgan, Mrs. Mary F. Byrnes, Miss Nellie Counahan.

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TOMORROW AND FRIDAY.

Last Two Days for Remnants and Odds and Ends.

And you will kindly understand that the sections of this bulletin refer solely to *tomorrow and Friday's selling*—none of the goods mentioned here *will be on sale today.*

There were several matters we wished to place before you by timely advance publication so that you would be impressed with the manner of the bargains to be offered *here tomorrow and the next day,* notably the Oriental rugs. We give you these several sections in advance of the larger details which will follow.

Speaking of

Oriental Rugs for Reduced Prices,

we desire to say to housewives who have longed to possess one of these Eastern gems that if there ever was a time to get something of great intrinsic value *for a very inferior price*—a price that really has no connection at all with what the rugs are worth and originally sold for—that time is *tomorrow and Friday.* And we leave it to your judgment as to which day you will attend—not only for the rugs, but for anything else that you may want.

The rugs mentioned here are Persian Rugs. They were personally selected by our representative in his tour of the rug districts of the far East. They are so far above the ordinary Oriental Rugs offered time and again around the city as to be totally incomparable. There is one price for choice from this large collection, mentioned here, namely,

$92.50 per Rug.

And that choice is from the following collection. The number of the rug is given so as to avoid any misunderstanding.

No. 2930—Persian, Muskabad Rug, yellow ground, red medallion, red border—10 feet by 8 feet 9 inches—formerly $140, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 2917—Persian Muskabad Rug, nile green, red and ivory border—size 12 feet 1 inch by 9 feet 2 inches—formerly $150—tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 2906—Persian Muskabad Rug—red ground all-over design, blue border—size 11 feet 6 inches by 9 feet 5 inches—formerly $165, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 3237—Persian Muskabad Rug—brown and blue mixed ground, small effect—size 10 feet 9 inches by 9 feet 7 inches—formerly $145, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 2950—Persian Muskabad Rug—blue and brown small all-over effects, border to match—size 10 feet 1 inch by 8 feet 3 inches—formerly $125, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 2250—Persian Muskabad Rug—blue ground, red border, small all-over effects—size 11 feet 7 inches by 9 feet—formerly $125, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 3507—Persian Muskabad Rug—red ground, well covered, blue border—size 11 feet 9 inches by 8 feet 9 inches—formerly $136, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 3557—Persian Muskabad Rug—blue grounds, small all-over design, border to match—size 12 feet by 8 feet 10 inches—formerly $136, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 2945—Persian Muskabad Rug—all-over well covered small effects, blue ground, pretty border to match—size 10 feet 5 inches by 8 feet 8 inches—formerly $136, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 2926—Persian Muskabad Rug—red ground, medallion center, mixed border—size 11 feet by 8 feet 6 inches—formerly $140, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 2956—Persian Muskabad Rug—red ground, green medallion, blue border—size 10 feet 6 inches by 9 feet 5 inches—formerly $145, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 3300—Persian Muskabad Rug—yellow ground, medallion center, red border—size 10 feet by 10 feet 6 inches—formerly $136, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 2916—Persian Muskabad Rug—blue ground all-over design, red border—size 12 feet 2 inches by 8 feet 3 inches—formerly $156, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 2859—Persian Muskabad Rug—red ground, all-over design, blue border—size 9 feet 8 inches by 8 feet—formerly $136, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 2928—Persian Muskabad Rug—blue ground, red border, all-over design—size 11 feet 6 inches by 9 feet 1 inch—formerly $156, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

No. 3515—Persian Muskabad Rug—red ground, green medallion, green border—size 10 feet 2 inches by 8 feet 5 inches—formerly $145, tomorrow's and Friday's price, $92.50.

German Enamel Cooking Ware.

The famous blue and white and brown and white German cooking utensils, sold tomorrow and Friday for about the price of ordinary seconds. This ware, as most housewives know, is the very best possible for all culinary purposes. Following are the prices:

¾ qt. Tea Pots, were 50c, tomorrow 25c.
½ qt. Coffee Pots, were 35c, tomorrow 23c.
1½ qt. Coffee Pots, were 60c, tomorrow 30c.
2 qt. Coffee Pots, were 75c, tomorrow 38c.
Rice Boilers, were $2.50, tomorrow $1.25.
Rice Boilers, were $1.75, tomorrow 88c.
Preserving Kettles, were $1.75, tomorrow 88c.
Preserving Kettles, were $1.75, tomorrow 50c.
Coffee Boilers, were $1.50, tomorrow 75c.
Coffee Boilers, were $1.35, tomorrow 68c.
Tea Kettles, were $1.25, tomorrow 63c.
Tea Kettles, were $1.50, tomorrow 75c.
Dish Pans, were 85c, to morrow 43c.
Dish Pans, were 75c, tomorrow 38c.
Stock Pots, were $1.50, tomorrow 75c.
Stock Pots, were $1.75, tomorrow 88c.
Lipped Sauce Pans, were 65c, tomorrow 32c.
Lipped Sauce Pans, were 50c, tomorrow 25c.
Lipped Sauce Pans, were 35c, tomorrow 18c.
Lipped Sauce Pans, were 20c, tomorrow 15c.
Chamber Pails, were $1.35, tomorrow 68c.
Chamber Pails, were $1.50, tomorrow 75c.
Milk Buckets, were 55c, tomorrow 25c.
Milk Buckets, were 60c, tomorrow 30c.
Water Buckets, were $1.10, tomorrow 55c.
Pudding Pans, were 50c, tomorrow 25c.
Colanders, were $1.25, tomorrow 63c.
Fruit Jar Funnels, were 35c, tomorrow 18c.
Moulds, were $1.25, tomorrow 63c.
Jelly Cake Pans, were 30c, tomorrow 15c.

Among the Toys Tomorrow and Friday.

It's well worth while studying over how much amusement you can buy for a little child for a few pennies. Take the following as an example—

A table of Toys, Dolls and Games that sold for 20c, 25c, 35c and up to $1, choice tomorrow and Friday, 5c.

Still finer and handsomer Dolls that sold for $1.50 and up to $5, tomorrow and Friday 50c each.

Our fine Dolls that sold for $1 and up to $2—all more or less soiled—tomorrow and Friday 25c each.

Another table containing Toys, Dolls and Games, some that sold for 50c, 75c and up to $1.50, choice tomorrow and Friday 10c.

Housefurnishings Tomorrow.

An interesting time is on the tapis for this department of the basement tomorrow. All sorts of around-the-house things to be sold for the most insignificant prices imaginable. After this manner:

Electric Laundry Soap, 3c cake, 40 cakes for $1.

Heavy Papier Mache Foot Baths, were $4 and $5.50, tomorrow and Friday $1 each.

100 Shopping Baskets, 50c kind, 25c each.

Sprinkling Cans, decorated in red and green, were $1.50, $2 and $2.50, tomorrow and Friday 50c each.

Wash Stands, nice for the summer home, $5 ones tomorrow and Friday $2.

Wire baskets, for burning waste paper, $1 kind tomorrow and Friday for 65c each.

Garden Hose, the 12½c grade, tomorrow and Friday for 8c a foot.

Tomorrow 3½c yd.

For pretty Gossamer Lawns—plenty of colors, including white grounds with black figures. Regular 8c goods.

Personal Requisites Tomorrow and Friday.

Handy little things—such things as one should have beside them at all times.

Real Shell Combs at 88c, from $1.75, at $1 from $2 and on up to $5 Combs for $2.50.
Real Shell Hair Pins at $1.95, from $2.50, at $1.75 from $3.50, at $2 from $4.
Fine silk and cotton Hose Supporters, extra heavy rubber and the best fasteners, 59c values for 25c pair.
Fine Scissors, Knives, Nail Clippers and Manicure Articles at ⅓ off.
Kid Hair Curlers, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c kind for 5c dozen.
Dress Shields, odd lots, silk and mainsook covered, 12½c kind for 6c, 18c kind for 9c, 22c kind for 11c, 25c kind for 13c, 30c kind for 15c, 35c kind for 18c.
White Cotton Tape, in bundles, each bundle contains 24 pieces, was 25c bundle, tomorrow 10c.
Black Belting 25c roll.
25c Pin Cushions for 25c each.
15c-25c Silk Elastic, ¾-yard lengths, for 10c each.
Extra fine White Tape, 9-yd. pieces, for 5c.
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5c bright and dull Mourning Pins, 2c box.
10c Crimping Pins, 3c box.
Invisible Hair Pins, 1c box.
15c Imitation silk Corset Lacers, black and gray, 5c pair, in 4 and 5-yard lengths.
15c and 25c Blunt Scissors, 8c pair.
Collar Canvas, 1c each.
Seam Binding, 10c and 15c kind, 8c bolt, in colors only.
20c Hooks and Eyes, for 8c gross.
10c pearl headed Pins, for 3c card.

Women's Knit Underwear.

As an inkling of what you can buy good underwear for tomorrow and Friday, the following list of prices is submitted:

7c each, instead of 12½c, for low necked Vests.
15c each, instead of 25c, for low necked, no sleeve Vests and Umbrella Drawers.
50c each, instead of $1, $1.25 and $1.35 for Silk Mixed Umbrella Drawers, light weight wool Vests, silk mixed Vests with crochet front. Colors only.
25c, instead of 35c, 50c and 75c, for Vests, either low neck, no sleeve or short sleeve, pink or blue mercerized Vests, lace yoke Vests and Vega Silk Vests with fancy edge.
$1.75 each, instead of $3.75, for low neck fancy Union Suits.
$1 each, instead of $2.50, for long sleeve Union Suits.

Fine Corsets.

The French corsets that were reduced from $12 to $4.50 are further reduced for tomorrow to $3 a pair; those that were brought down from $7.50 to $2.50 tomorrow will be $1 a pair.

Small lot of Bon Ton Corsets at $2.50 a pair, instead of $4.50.

Broken lines of Chicago Waists, sizes 18, 25 and 28—50c a pair, instead of $1.

Art Needlework.

At the Art Needlework counter tomorrow and Friday many things women like to have beside them when the hours grow dull. Not much to pay.

Packages of Renaissance Rings, odd sizes, 5c a package. You know what they're for.
Odd lengths of braid, fancy, plain and black silk, 10c a bunch.
Ecru, cream and white Renaissance Thread, regular price 5c a package, tomorrow 2 packages for 5c.
All 75c, $1 and $1.50 colored linen Centers, tinted, tomorrow and Friday, 50c each.
Renaissance patterns to make Scarfs, Squares and Centers, and all fancy Collars and Handkerchiefs, thrown out tomorrow and Friday for 8c each.
50c Laundry Bags, stamped, tomorrow and Friday, 50c each.
Stamped Pillows, regular 50c kind, tomorrow and Friday, 15c each.
Linen Scarfs and Squares, tomorrow and Friday, 25c each, reduced from 50c and $1.
Plain and fancy Crepe Paper, some a little soiled at 3c a roll, from 5c, and at 10c a roll, from 16c.

Tomorrow 50c

For Women's Baltimore and Knickerbocker Shirtwaists that sold for $1 and $1.50. All white.

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Wednesday, July 29, 1903.

The failure of the negotiations for peace within the Republican ranks in Allegheny county is a distinct disappointment to those well-wishers of the party who believe that the best way to accomplish genuine reform is through the agency of a responsible party under able and unselfish leadership. The leaders of the Republican organization have no reason to blame themselves for the failure of these negotiations. They made every possible concession consistent with honor, even to the extent of offering to serve under one of the chiefs of the opposition. It is now up to the Republican conventions to select a ticket that will represent the party's best aims and ideas. Such a ticket, we are confident will be indorsed by the people in November. The best way for the party to win success is to deserve it.

The deaths by typhoid fever for the week ending July 25 numbered eight. This makes a total of 1[illegible] for the month to that date. The ordinances providing for the letting of contracts for the construction of the sand filtration plant voted for by the people, have been before councils since April 14, 1902, and the money has been in the city treasury since 1900. The number of deaths from typhoid fever since the hold-up of the ordinances began amounted to 628 at the close of last week.

The Reliance has been finally selected to defend the America's cup against Shamrock III. The Constitution, which has shown such great speed that a series of races was necessary to decide relative superiority, will be held in reserve, but the Columbia will be laid up. The tests have shown that the Reliance can beat both the previous cup defenders in any sort of weather, and if Shamrock III. should win she will have defeated the best boat that American yacht designers have been able to turn out. There will be no more trial racing and the Reliance will be put in complete trim for the America's cup races.

The campaign waged by the state authorities against adulteration of milk is particularly advantageous to Pittsburgh, as it has tended to impart some efficiency to the city inspection, which has had the repute of being rather farcical in character. The attention which Director Moore is giving the subject will tend to infuse some energy in the work and will also call tricky dealers to understand that they cannot depend upon political protection if they are caught. The quality of the milk supply is so important to the health of the community that it is gratifying to know that the inspection laws are in the way of being enforced.

The public owes a debt of gratitude to Councilman Wasson and to the members of common council who joined with him in calling a meeting of that body. President Lamble of select council has declared his intention to secure a meeting of that body, too, if possible. If its members take any interest in the saving of human life they will respond to the suggestion. The people are aroused to the fact that this typhoid fever scourge, which is slaying hundreds annually and subjecting thousands to loss of health and means, is maintained by the incompetency and neglect of their representatives, and the record of councilmen in this particular will be canvassed in every ward. Dodgers and absentees will have some difficult apologies to make to their constituents.

A massacre of Jews rivalling that of Kishineff is reported to have occurred at Afran, in Morocco. The Jewish quarter of the town is reported to be completely devastated, the houses having been not only pillaged, but razed to the ground. The origin of the riot is not explained, but it was probably due to local causes, as anti-Semitic prejudice does not manifest itself in Mohammedan countries. Jews and Christians are both regarded as inferior to Moslems and not entitled to political rights, but Jews are generally regarded with more favor than Christians as less disposed to political agitation. Morrocco has been a scene of civil war, and it may be that the Jewish community at Afran has in some way been made a victim of the civil strife among the Moslems. The occurrence, however, shows how widespread is the Jewish problem. Attacks upon the Jewish people are liable to break out in any quarter of the world where police control of mob passions is not effective.

It is expected that the conclave which will elect the new pope will begin its sessions Saturday morning, when the first ballot will be taken. The cardinals will be quartered in the vatican and the conclave will continue until an election is arrived at. In some respects our presidential election was modeled upon the papal election, as the electoral colleges were originally designed to exercise an independent choice. The immediate suggestion probably came from the practice of the Holy Roman Empire, the emperor being the choice of an electoral college, composed of a number of potentates, who held that authority as a hereditary privilege. The college of cardinals acted in a similar capacity in the election of a pope, the ecclesiastical head of the Holy Roman Empire. This machinery was adopted as part of the Constitution of the United States, appointment of electors being left to the states. The conversion of the electoral college into an agency of the election of the president by the people has been altogther a matter of constitutional practice and not constitutional requirement.

We credit Director Harry Moore with taking an active interest in the public responsibilities of his position and with serious endeavor to discharge them as well as possible under the system of partisan favor, which controls appointments. Hence, we have been expecting him to do something about the increase of public beggary. Some years ago Pittsburgh was remarkably free from this sort of thing, but there are signs that some sort of toleration is now extended to professional beggars, who are allowed to post themselves at prominent corners. The police should be instructed to stop this. The place for people really dependent upon public charity is the poor farm. In most cases the professional beggars are well supplied with money and follow it as a gainful occupation. Another matter which should receive Director Moore's consideration is the obstruction of the downtown streets by loafers. The streets are for the use of people going from place to place, and are not meant for occupancy by loungers. It is often the case, however, that pavements are lined with idlers, and on Saturday nights localities that are favorite resorts of idlers become almost impassible. The police should be instructed to cause them to move on.

Playing Dirty Game.

Formal inaugural of the Herrs island dam, or lock No. 1, Allegheny river, was made with much blaring of trumpets and a regrettable display of prejudice. The celebration was of an event of importance in the history of Allegheny valley development—the beginning of a slackwater system that may ultimately result in a canalized river from Pittsburgh to Bullis' mills, where the river was dammed for industrial purposes many years ago. Upon the event we congratulate the people of the Allegheny valley, and for the perversion of the celebration into a propaganda against the prosperity of others we hold the plain people of the valley guiltless and commiserate with them.

It was known some days ago that the plans included a demonstration against the bridges over the river. This program was carried out. At the eleventh hour it was decided to attach an Ohio river boat to the "flagship," and in addition orders were given to raise the new dam to give one foot more water than has been maintained for navigation purposes. The Ohio river boat could not pass under the Forty-third street bridge on 14 feet of water, though it could have passed easily on a 12-foot stage. In pursuance of the same policy an excursion steamer that for several seasons carried the excursions from the Exposition to Davis island dam was anchored under Union bridge, on its old route, with a sign to inform the curious that it could not pass the alleged barrier. In the speaking there was much of the same spirit of animosity and some actual misrepresentation.

This exhibition has not in any particular helped the cause of the bridge raisers, and we hope it has done no injury to the cause of Allegheny river improvement. The bridges over the river carry a traffic out of all comparison with that upon the river. They carry a traffic larger than can be developed on the river, under any conceivable circumstances, during this century. They can be raised only at enormous expense—exceeding by many times the cost of the Herrs island dam—and to raise them will impose a burden upon every ton of the immense traffic passing over them. Alteration of street grades to avoid burdening this traffic in such manner would inflict losses of millions upon property holders. For these reasons the bridges will not be raised. The damages would far exceed the benefits, and the secretary of war will not be guilty of making such an order. If he could bring himself to ignore the interest of two big cities and many interests besides, he would be deterred by the probability of imposing upon the government a bill of damages running into millions of dollars.

Another truth was demonstrated yesterday, however, that stands out boldly in spite of the efforts to cloud it. A considerable fleet of towboats plying the Monongahela and Allegheny rivers in ordinary trade passed up the river and they were able to go under the Forty-third street bridge even on the extraordinary stage of water maintained for the occasion. They were boats of the class that have helped to bring about the tremendous development of the Monongahela valley—boats capable of navigating with a tow of coal barges, oil barges, sand flats, ore barges, or timber rafts. These boats are worth more in a week to the industrial Allegheny valley than the excursion trade would be in a century.

In conclusion, we call attention to a short chapter of history printed on another page. That history affects the Davis island dam, which was bitterly opposed by some of the same men who were conspicuous in the demonstration of yesterday and who have come to claiming credit for that great work. It was the chamber of commerce that fought the good fight for that improvement, and at every stage it was opposed by the coal exchange. On the Allegheny river improvement the chamber stands as it did then, for true progress, while members of the coal exchange are fighting windmills and invoking the assistance of deluded mortals who are really interested in improvement of the river and who do not know that these men have opposed nearly every improvement of any kind. Time will in this case, as in that of David island dam, vindicate the right, and it is not improbable the bridge raisers of today will be then posing as the original promoters of slackwater and modern craft adapted to the stream.

Good Ground for the Scare.

The Post and Leader deprecate a typhoid fever scare and argue that the present epidemic ought not to be blamed upon the character of the water supply. The Post goes so far as to say that "the average number of cases of the fever reported daily is not above the normal, and not greater than the average of other cities of the same size as Pittsburgh."

It is altogether untrue that the number of typhoid fever cases in Pittsburgh are not greater than the average of other cities of the same size. They are proportionately greater than those of any other city in the country, and absolutely greater than those of every other city except New York and Philadelphia. A government report on municipal statistics gives the deaths by typhoid fever in 137 cities for 1901. The largest number was in New York, 727; next comes Philadelphia, 444; then Pittsburgh, 416. The deaths in Boston numbered 142; in Albany, 241; in Lawrence, Mass, 12; all places where sand filtration is employed. In proportion to population the Pittsburgh typhoid fever death rate is the largest on record in the world. In New York the rate was .203 per thousand of population; in Philadelphia, .333; in Pittsburgh, 1.247, the highest in the reports of 137 cities and towns, including all in the country of 30,000 or over. The next highest is Youngstown, O., 1.180; then comes Allegheny, Pa., 1.008; then Johnstown, Pa., 1.000. The nearest large city to Pittsburgh in typhoid fever mortality was Washington, D. C., with a rate of .673, and a sand filtration plant is being erected in Washington to stop this slaughter of human life. Berlin, Vienna, Amsterdam, Stockholm, Cologne, Dresden, Breslau, Munich, Leipsic, Frankfort and Nuremburg, all put together, having an aggregate population of 7,182,172, had 371 deaths from typhoid fever in 1902, as against 416 for Pittsburgh alone. Since then the mortality in Pittsburgh has kept on increasing. For the first six months of the present year the deaths from this cause were just 250, and as the mortality is, as a rule, heavier during the last half of the year, the prospect is that the total for the year will exceed 500. There is nothing which can approach this terrible mortality in any other large city. For a city the size of Boston the same ratio would produce a mortality of 800, instead of 142, the actual number in 1901. If the prevalence of typhoid fever in Pittsburgh does not constitute an epidemic words have lost their meaning.

While typhoid fever germs may be transmitted by other means than the water supply, yet that is invariably the principal agent, so that when the water supply is purified the typhoid fever mortality at once declines. In this respect sand filtration has never failed; while the results of mechanical filtration are not so certain. The cases of Lawrence and Albany are typical instances. In 1890 the typhoid fever death rate in Lawrence was 1.344 per thousand; a sand filtration plant was completed by 1893 and immediately the rate dropped to .796; thence to .475 for the following year, and in 1902 it was down to .170 per thousand. In 1895 Albany installed a sand filtration plant to stop an epidemic like that now slaying the people of Pittsburgh. The typhoid fever death rate was then 1.653. It dropped to .990 for 1896 and has since declined until in 1902 it was .280. A similar reduction of mortality in Pittsburgh would mean that the deaths from typhoid fever would be about 62 a year instead of 500. The Post and Leader may think the unnecessary sacrifice annually of 428 human lives is a comparatively small matter, not warranting agitation of the subject, but we cannot agree with them. There is absolutely no subject of municipal concern which can compare in importance with this matter of water purification, and the people should spare no effort to get the municipal authorities to act.

One More Year.

With this issue The Gazette enters its 118th volume. It was founded July 29, 1786, 10 years after the promulgation of the Declaration of Independence. Its career has been one of steady progress. It was first in the Pittsburgh newspaper field, and it is foremost in that field. Its files practically cover the history of the city of Pittsburgh, and its growth has been in step with that of this now greatest industrial center on earth. Its voice has always been for the best interest of the city and for progress.

One hundred and seventeen years is a short time compared with the activity of man in the world, but few men cover such a span. In the development of a town, or state, a century is a long time. When The Gazette was founded Pittsburgh was a mere village at the head of the Ohio river—a gateway into the wilderness. How things have happened since then! Seventeen years after there was the purchase of the Louisiana territory. Next year it will celebrate a century of development unequaled in world history, except—and it is an important exception—except by the development of other portions of this same country, with Western Pennsylvania an exemplar of the best of it.

Best of all there is the future. We are building now for that. It will be greater than the past. It will be greater in proportion as we build well or ill. The Gazette will be found on the side of broad foundations and careful structures. It will advocate, as it has in the past, measures for the greatest permanent good of the territory in which it circulates and of the nation at large. Momentary glory, or individual greatness are as naught. The years pass and they are no more. But solid foundations, good policies, sound character—upon these rest the weal of centuries yet to come.

In deciding that a Philadelphian mustn't be a deputy collector of internal revenue and a councilman at one and the same time the president does not mean to discourage zeal to serve the people without ceasing, but only to impress on the over-ambitious that when a man holds more than one office there is likely to be some suspicion aroused that he is doing more than is really consistent with the best interests of either service.

By the time the Herrs Island dam has withstood the ice of winter and the drift of spring the slack water advocates can go to Washington with genuine arguments in favor of continuing the improvement and urging more rapid progress.

Reports that Russia would risk war with England and Japan if she could be sure of the neutrality of the United States indicates that the czar's advisers have taken some of our "auntie" literature seriously.

It is a debatable question, perhaps, whether the Wall street speculators were more scared or hurt, but it is a satisfaction to know that so far the prosperity of the nation wasn't touched.

Mother Jones wasn't able to catch up with Senator Platt, but the fact that he recently celebrated his seventieth birthday indicates that he is less successful in dodging Father Time.

Of course, the cardinals can't prevent the Roman bookmaking on the result of the conclave, but they probably don't like it, especially those against whom the odds are given.

Honor where honor is due. River improvement did not have its practical beginning with those who are now making the most noise or the most extravagant demands.

The nice time Admiral Cotton is having in Portugal will make a lot of people try to remember what they learned about that country when they were young.

It is an Indiana veteran who courts honorable mention by refusing a pension from the government, and he has this field of fame pretty much to himself.

The bulls are drawing a long breath, but it will take them some time to get back all that the bears knocked out of them.

In arranging preliminaries of political harmony it is always proper to remember that the people have the last word.

Delay of filtration plans may be for the purpose of trying to impress the people that a lot of thinking is being done.

A few of the Allegheny river boomers are less concerned about having more water than about having more air space.

If Cardinal Gibbons isn't elected pope he won't have to live in Rome. This ought to be full compensation.

There is no consolation for postal grafters in Assistant Postmaster General Bristow's visit to Oyster Bay.

It was sober second thought that kept the bookbinders in the government printing office at work.

There is better tone to the stock market since the cheers of the bears have been silenced.

Ireland is willing to let bygones be bygones while King Edward is on Irish soil.

Gen. Miller isn't a bit prouder of the Second brigade than he ought to be.

The Panama revolution is with an eye on Uncle Sam's millions.

How readily some of our river friends forget their own records.

The Wilkinsburg tug-of-war enriches the justice of the peace.

The typhoid bacillus works faster than Pittsburgh councils.

Wall street lambs are long of experience if short of fleece.

A false pretense never yet led to a permanent success.

IN THE EYE OF FAME.

Next year's literary centennial in the United States will be that of Nathaniel Hawthorne.

Tobias Eppstein of Cincinnati, after nearly four years in the postoffice department of the Philippines, has been appointed postmaster of the city of Cebu.

Miss Laura M. Cornelius, an Oneida Indian, studying at the University of California, says she will devote her life to the preservation of the language and literature of her people.

Thomas W. Lawson has about 1,000 employes on his farm of 300 acres at Scituate. For the benefit of his employes Mr. Lawson has started a bank on his farm. The first week the employes deposited over $12,000.

Rostand, who was made an "immortal" in Paris recently, is famous for his fancy waistcoats, of which he is said to own over 100. Indeed, French papers talk more about his varicolored garments than about his literary work.

The venerable British ambassador to France, Sir Edward Monson, will retire next year. He will be given a first-class pension of $8,500 a year. It is understood that he will not be made a peer. It is also understood that his successor will be Sir Frank Lascelles, who has represented the British government for nearly 10 years at Berlin.

A Mosquito Puzzle.

It is officially announced, in consequence of the researches made by a commission of government experts who went to Vera Cruz to investigate the causes of the spread of yellow fever, that only a single species of the mosquito tribe is ever guilty of carrying the infection of disease. The scientific name of the pernicious insect is given as stegomyia fasciata. All other mosquitoes are by inference pronounced harmless. This may be regarded, says the Philadelphia Bulletin, as cheering news, but there is one drawback. How on earth is the average individual to know whether the winged pest that stings him is a stegomyia fasciata or just a plain, every-day mosquito?

Another Warning.

A Kalamazoo man has met an untimely death at the age of 89 from the excessive use of tobacco. Warnings are becoming more plentiful every day.—Indianapolis News.

Our Latest Doctrine.

In answer to Spain's claim that the $250,000 found in the captured Spanish vessels at Santiago belongs to her, Secretary Root has advanced the American doctrine of "finders keepers."—Washington Post.

KEEP A BUTTIN' IN.

In battling for success, my son,
Be valiant in the fight;
Strive for the honors to be won
With all your manly might.
No matter what the game may be
You stand a show to win
If you but have the energy
To keep a buttin' in.

Reverses oft may pull you back
And rob you of your place,
May try to throw you from the track
And bar you from the race;
But battle for your rights, my boy,
Your faith to honor pin,
Your fullest force of nerve employ
To keep a buttin' in.

The prizes of success are great,
Well worth the toil they cost,
And failure dire, may be your fate
If but a day is lost.
So forward with a fearless shout,
Determined you will win,
And if they try to crowd you out
Just keep a buttin' in.

Some day you'll proudly stand upon
The golden heights of fame,
The laurels you've so nobly won
Entwined about your name.
And as you sheathe the victor's sword
With a triumphant grin
In gratitude you'll thank the Lord
You kept a buttin' in.
—James Barton Adams, in Denver Post.

The Quiet Observer.

ERASMUS WILSON.

We are not so old—not so awful old—that is, there are those among us who were present when things happened in what we call the long ago.

There is Col. Pick Jones down in Texas, who was at West Point with Edgar Allan Poe. They were classmates, room mates and tent mates.

He says Poe had led a rather dissipated life before becoming a cadet, and kept it up. At first he struck out for the head of the class, and was getting there in every branch except mathematics, and that seemed to discourage him. He was a moody sort of chap, and when in the mood for intoxicants he would take great chances in getting through the lines and down to old Benny's place where the stuff was to be had in quality and quantity to suit all tastes and conditions.

That same moody disposition was indicative of a poetic nature, for poets, artists, musicians and geniuses of all kinds are, as a rule, moody. They are either in fine feather, or droopy or bedraggled.

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Another quality or characteristic of great men who are great because they have a touch of genius, is their strong likes and dislikes. They love intensely and hate dercely. Col. Jones says Poe was a good, hard hater, but was a lover bold, and a friend to the death. When drunk he was crazy, a raving maniac at times. It was this that led to his dismissal from West Point, and finally to his death.

From all facts at hand it appears that Poe was deeply diseased, as much so as if he had been a victim of malaria, and he could no more control these drinking spells than the victim of ague can control the spells of fever and chills.

It was not so regarded then, and there are still a great many good, sensible people who think that the victim of dipsomnia can, if he will reform from his over-indulgence.

Ask him, and he will tell you that when the fit comes on he would barter the dearest thing on earth, even his very soul for drink.

Common sense, which is science pure and simple, teaches that dipsomnia is a disease, a dyscrasia well marked and characteristic and in most instances systematic, in that it affects the entire system.

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This disease may be contracted, and in most instances is acquired the same as malaria, or any other disorder due to particular or peculiar conditions.

If you go into a section where the air is bad you are liable to get malaria,—that is to become poisoned with bad or mal air.

The same with dipsomania. If you go where the poison is, and persist in staying there, and in taking it in, it is only a question of time until you become a dipsomaniac, and can no more resist or control its peculiar paroxysms than you resist or control the paroxysms peculiar to malarial poisoning.

As these facts become more generally recognized the hopes of the dipsomaniac brighten, and the chances of his being cured become greater. Even now the chances of being cured are about the same as in typhoid fever.

Strange as it may seem this common sense view of dipsomania, and one that has been well sustained by practical tests, should be condemned by radical temperance agitators and by those who profess to be scientists. They take a difficult view and one that shows comparatively few practical results.

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This by the way.

But, haven't you noticed that sometimes when you started to talking about something the first thing you know you are away off talking about something else?

There was a preacher once, and not very long ago, who had been taught that it was correct form to write sermons, and then commit them to memory, so they could be delivered from notes and with good elocutionary effect. And he could do this fine, so fine that he was spotted as one of the coming great preachers.

But, being a really sensible, as well as a really good fellow, and having his heart in the work, he would, sometimes, fly the beaten track right in the midst of a well written sermon, and say things that were not noted on his slips. And sometimes he would stuff the slips in his pocket and go it free and easy, catching the attention of his hearers, and touching their hearts.

After he had been preaching for several years he abandoned his notes and preached as his spirit moved him to preach. And he says his noteless, sermonless preaching is far more effective for good. It may not be as good form, but the results are better, which is something worth while.

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Good form is all right, but it is results we are after. What's the difference if some of these form servers do call you old-fashioned, an old fogy, or even an old fool, so you feel good, and your neighboes feel good, and things about the place feel good?

So many of these old-fashioned things have been cast aside which were the source of so much good feeling to make room for things that have little good to command them save form.

What has become of the old-fashioned garden, the garden our mothers tended, and in which we pulled weeds when we thought we ought to be fishing, and in which we dug and hoed when our hearts were burdened with the fact that other boys were stealing the cherries that we might have stolen, were it not for this same garden? As a friend of the old garden says:

"Yes, it is a fact, and a much-to-be-lamented fact, that the old-fashioned garden, with its sweet william and its cornflowers, its dark-eyed poppies and lavender heliotrope, its black-eyed susans and delicate morning glories, whose purple petals are shyly closed when Old Sol begins to stare too rudely; its rows upon rows of haughty hollyhocks, which, when once planted, grow like weeds and threaten the more modest heartsease and bachelor buttons; its sweet-scented mignonette, and its never-failing daisies—is a thing of the past.

"The modern woman does not look after her garden as her mother and grandmother used to do. Today there is a gardener who attends to that. He mows the lawn, he plans the shapes and arrangement of the flower beds. And what does he plant? In the spring, haughty tulips and awkward hyacinths, and later on, nothing but stiff geraniums—blossoms in which there is neither grace nor perfume, possessing only one attribute of the truly beautiful flower—color."

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Speaking of Poe recalls the fact that he did not regard "The Raven" as his best poem. To him it was a sort of nightmare, the same as nearly all of his short stories, which were feals of the mare that gossip over us in the nighttime—the night time of the heart, if not of the soul. The poem he loved best was "Annabel Lee."

It was many and many a year ago,
In a kingdom by the sea,
That a maiden lived, whom you may know,
By the name of Annabel Lee;
And this maiden she lived with no other thought
Than to love, and be loved by me.

I was a child, and she was a child,
In this kingdom by the sea;
But we loved with a love that was more than love,
I and my Annabel Lee—
With a love that the winged seraphs of heaven
Coveted her and me.

And this was the reason that long ago,
In this kingdom by the sea,
So that her high-born kinsmen came,
And bore her away from me,
To shut her up in a sepulchre,
In this kingdom by the sea.

The angels, not so happy in heaven,
Went envying her and me.
Yes, that was the reason (as all men know),
In this kingdom down by the sea,
That the wind came out of the cloud by night,
Chilling and killing my Annabel Lee.

But our love it was stronger by far than the love
Of those who were older than we,
Of many far wiser than we;
And neither the angels in heaven above,
Nor the demons down under the sea,
Can ever disever my soul from the soul
Of the beautiful Annabel Lee.

For the moon never beams without bringing me dreams
Of the beautiful Annabel Lee,
And the stars never rise but I feel the bright eyes
Of the beautiful Annabel Lee.

And so, all the night-tide I lie down by the side
Of my darling, my darling, my life and my bride,
In her sepulchre there by the sea,
In her tomb by the sounding sea.
—Edgar Allan Poe.

Talked of in New York

GEORGE C. JENKS.

(By Private Wire to The Gazette.)

NEW YORK, July 28.—Sentiment is very strong against further annoyance by rapid transit subway building in Manhattan. It is conceded there must be a large extension of the tunnel system, and that it will be difficult to keep up with the population even with many miles more of tunnel. What the average New Yorker is anxious about is that there shall be no more laying open of streets by a big ditch such as has annoyed everyone for the last two years and more. Engineers know that a tunnel can be bored at a depth great enough to escape the pipes and wires which are necessary for the public service, and that the population at large need know nothing about the work in progress under their feet until the whole enterprise has been completed. The constructing of the first subway was an experiment. The putting through of the many extensions proposed will be accomplished without doubt as to the utility of them, and they can be just as well built out of sight as by tearing the fair face of the city. That is the argument of thoughtful citizens, and the indications are that contractors will have to yield to it, even if it means less profit to them and more expense for the company which employs their service. The loss to trade through the cutting up of streets has been enormous. Grumblings have been heard from the persons immediately affected ever since the beginning of the work, but it is only now, when propositions to construct many miles more of the system in different directions that the whole city is interesting itself in the way the work is to be done. Father Knickerbocker has had all he wants of chasms along Broadway, and houses tumbling into ditches in Park avenue.

Uncle Russell Remains Unsinged.

Uncle Russell Sage is one of the most cheerful figures in Wall street this week. He says he has not been singed by the failures, and that he can contemplate the situation calmly. He is doing it, too. When it is remembered that Mr. Sage was regarded as on the brink of the grave a few months ago, and that it was supposed he had reached nearly the end of his active life as a financier, his springing up as the dominating factor in the present Wall street melee is sensational, to say the least.

High Tide in Summer Bargains.

"We have got to high tide in summer bargains," said a department store manager to me this morning. "Prices have been cut down from week to week as it was seen that there could not be a complete selling out of summer finnmery, but we have got to the bottom now, and it would pay us better to carry our goods over to next year than to sell them any cheaper." I give this as it was told to me by a man in the retail business. How far it will bear the test of time we may know in the course of another few weeks. It is certain, however, that there never were more bargain-hunting women in the big stores than may be seen every day just now.

Must Run Gauntlet of Her Scrutiny.

In some of the uptown hotels in Broadway, where there really is an endeavor to keep the custom of the house free from an unpleasant element, one may see, if one looks closely, a dignified, well-dressed, elderly woman whose white cap is her only insignia of domestic service, sitting in a retired corner of the lobby, doing nothing but looking at the people coming in and out. She is there for that purpose, and no other. It is her duty to "spot" undesirable applicants for accommodation and to tell the clerk by signal that they will not do. She does not make a mistake once in a hundred times, detectives say.

Who'd You Tell If the "Boss" Did It?

In a barber shop near Herald square there is a sign reading: "If you are not treated well, tell the boss. If you are treated well, tell your friends." The service is very good as a rule, but some patrons declare that there is one poor workman in the place, and that is the "boss."

Wait and Your Friends Will Pass.

That all roads lead to Broadway is a truism often repeated. An illustration of this was afforded to a Pittsburgher yesterday, who, in strolling through Central park, came across four acquaintances he had not met for years. One of these was a man from Missouri, another from Cincinnati, another from New Orleans, and still another from San Francisco. These four men had been met by the Pittsburgher each in his own city years ago, and he supposed they were all at home. He is a firm believer in the old saying that if you remain on Broadway for a few days you are likely to see everyone you ever knew, who is surviving, pass along before you in review.

Don't All Come from Punxsutawney.

Even in New York you will often find dense ignorance such as is generally supposed to distinguish backwoods towns. The same Pittsburgher who met his four friends in Central park took dinner at one of the popular Broadway hotels, and, as he finished his meal, said to the waiter: "Are cigars permissible?" The waiter mumbled something, and disappeared. The Pittsburgher, eager for a smoke, rolled himself a cigarette and was calmly smoking when the waiter returned with seven different brands of cigarettes in their packages on a tray and presented them to the guest, with the apologetic explanation: "We haven't any of those 'permissible cigarettes,' but here are some other brands. Perhaps some of them may suit you." "And this is New York," muttered the Pittsburgher.

Awaiting Day of the Race.

The yachts which are talked of in connection with the coming international cup race keep on trying each other out. It is Reliance now that is far enough ahead of her sister yachts to be deemed worthy of the place she will hold as defender of the cup, while Shamrock III. is maintaining her position ahead of Shamrock I. in Sir Thomas' fleet. Now that it is settled that each of the new boats is superior to her predecessors, there is little to be done but to wait for the day of the race, keeping the boats tuned up for work in the meantime.

"Gazette March" Caught the House.

Puss is drawing large and enthusiastic audiences at Madison Square garden. Every number at last night's performance was accorded a hearty applause, particularly the "Pittsburgh Gazette March." This stirring composition took the house by storm.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria.
B. Dreyfuss.
F. Taylor.

Manhattan.
Miss S. Bissell.
Miss M. D. Spang.
J. C. Bennett.
G. C. Smith.
Nathaniel Holmes.

Netherland.
S. Weinhaus.

Herald Square.
M. F. McNulty.
J. T. Thorley.
B. F. Eiseman.

Continental.
William E. Dey.
C. B. Ward.

St. Denis.
D. H. Beatty.
C. S. Baldridge.
Mrs. Baldridge.
S. F. Arres.
Miss J. H. Acres.

Fifth Avenue.
A. M. Hamilton.

Everett.
F. S. Stedman.
John Dobew.
Mrs. Dobew.

Empire.
Mrs. B. C. Boyd.
Mrs. H. B. Robertson.

Gilsey.
E. R. Davis.
L. Martin.
Mrs. Martin.

Raleigh.
S. Abels.

Cosmopolitan.
H. A. Dublin.
T. S. Penny.

Metropolitan.
T. McDougall.

Hoffman.
M. J. Mullen.

Imperial.
J. H. McFeely.
J. P. Hunter.
A. N. Spencer.
James Gostmann.

Victoria.
Joseph Bennett.
Abe Lavin.

Navarre.
George W. Grega.
E. F. Gelf.
C. F. Redden.
H. A. Groestick.
A. C. Chamer.
C. G. Field.
D. B. Maxwell.
Miss Benbow.

Grand.
F. H. Ortman.

Criterion.
W. A. Spe, Jr.

Union Square.
W. W. Dobbins.

Albemarle.
Theodore Jonnson.
Mrs. Johnson.
Miss G. L. Johnson.
E. F. Johnson.

Normandie.
J. B. Duff.
J. B. Duff, Jr.

Broadway Central.
F. C. Hackett.
Mrs. Hackett.
W. A. Heath.
Mrs. Heath.
Mrs. E. E. Heath.
J. Mallipacher.

Astor.
J. D. Brion.
Mrs. Brion.
M. Hannigan
A. Thomas.
H. Gamerman.
J. F. Kreuth, Jr.

Morton.
Miss E. Dutheridge.
Misses Semple.

Pocahontas and the Smiths.

Could Pocahontas, who saved the life of the original John Smith, read the page after page of them who now appear in Boston's new city directory, she would feel prouder than ever of her achievement.—Boston Herald.

The Kearsarge's Feat.

The good, old bulldog Oregon made a grand record during the war with Spain in her run from the Pacific ocean to the Atlantic, and came up smiling and ready to do battle with the best of the Spanish warships. We did considerable crowing over the splendid record made at that time, and the eagle screamed and flapped his wings in glee. Now the Kearsarge has made us feel good and braggy again. This fine battleship has just finished a marvelous run for a vessel of her class, making an average of 12.12 knots an hour in a trip of 2,000 miles from England to Bar Harbor. Not the least creditable part of her performance is the fact that though she had been speeded all the way across the Atlantic, and encountered a head sea and head wind, every part of her machinery was in as perfect condition as when she left the American coast nearly two months ago.

The Kearsarge has had a memorable trip. Since she left New York, 55 days ago, she has visited Germany, Denmark and England, has steamed 8,200 miles, has been at sea 24 days and in port 29 days, and during all this time there has not been a single accident to the machinery, not a break of any kind. Is it any wonder that we all feel a bit proud of her? We are of the opinion that she can fight as well as she can run.—Brooklyn Times.

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The Kearsarge has more than distinguished herself in her record run from Southampton to Bar Harbor. Compared with the swiftest of the passenger-carrying liners, which make from 20 to 23 knots an hour, her speed of 12.12 knots does not seem to be great, but for a heavy battleship it is extraordinary.

The lesson of the run across the Atlantic is that the vessel is one that can be depended on. Comparing navies by the number of vessels in each is misleading. It is the vessel that is the most effectively handled and is capable of extended and hard work that will be distinguished over those of her class. The trip of the Oregon around Cape Horn was a most brilliant performance. The Kearsarge adds another leaf of laurel to the crown of the navy, one that is gratifying to national pride and is likely to make an impression abroad.

We want a first-class navy. We may never need it, but if we do we are likely to need it badly. In any event, the best guarantee of peace is preparedness for war. We are getting along pretty well with our preparations.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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Capt. Hemphill and his officers have a right to be proud of the simple statement that after this cruise the Kearsarge arrives "ready for action." This is a triumph for executive care, for faithful performance of duty both by officers and men, and for honest construction.

There was about the feat nothing of such dramatic interest as attached to the famous voyage of the Oregon, when the world watched that swift passage from California, around the Horn, to the West Indies. That voyage wrought its consummation in the object lesson it conveyed of the necessity of an isthmian canal. The voyage of the Kearsarge will have another effect upon the popular mind. It will bring home the conviction that the millions we are spending upon the navy are not frittered away in the construction of costly toys. It will tell all the world that American battleships are worthy their commissions.—New York Mail and Express.

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Emperor William was quite right when he pronounced the Kearsarge a magnificent battleship. While the hopes and fears of millions of men were not centered upon it during its recent trip as they were upon the Oregon, when the latter made its memorable and unequaled run of 18,000 miles, yet there was widespread interest in this speeding of the Kearsarge across the Atlantic, and all Americans are proud of the record. To steam 2,000 miles at an average speed of more than 13 miles an hour, in spite of heavy weather and icebergs, without accident of any sort, and to reach port in as good condition as when she set out, is a very creditable performance.—Baltimore News.

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It has been the assumption of naval strategists heretofore that vessels of this type could not cross the Atlantic and be in condition to fight at the end of the voyage. The voyage just made shows that this can be done. Of course, it requires knowledge and skill on the part of commander, navigator and engineers. The relation between speed and coal consumption is very delicate. There is a point, which only expert knowledge and familiarity with boilers, engines and ship can determine, at which the maximum energy is yielded by the food measured out to the furnaces' ravenous appetite. A few quintals a day less would give a speed far less than that attained at the point of highest economy; tons a day more would increase that speed but little. But if by such close work as that of Capt. Hamphill and his officers a fleeting fort can cross from Europe to the American coast and then be ready instantly to engage an enemy, it is evident that a new fact suggests revision of the old theories of war and of national defense.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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This achievement is highly creditable to the constructors of American battleships. It will do more to raise the United States navy in the estimation of foreign governments than a dozen ostentatious parades in European ports.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

In the Forefront of Fame.

At present J. H. Thomas is only the leader of the National Cornet band of New Brunswick; but there are signs that he may be as big a man as Theodore Thomas before he is much older, says the Utica Observer. J. H. T. seeks to establish the fact that certain musical noise, if played with vigor at the right moment in the right instrument, will kill mosquitoes—even the New Jersey variety. This is declared by Mr. Thomas, or on his behalf. At a recent rehearsal of his band, he noticed five mosquitoes on the ceiling of the room inspecting the members of the band with a view to picking out the one with the thinnest skin and richest blood. The band was playing a difficult composition in A minor, in which there was a solo of eight bars for the first alto horn, played by Fred Nixon. The band is composed of amateurs, and Mr. Nixon's highest note was A above the staff. After several efforts he succeeded in reaching it, producing 960 vibrations per second. At that instant Mr. Thomas noticed that the five inspectors on the ceiling suddenly dropped into Nixon's horn. Their bodies were recovered, and, procuring a high-power microscope, Mr. Thomas found that both their auditory and optic nerves were completely paralyzed, showing that if they had lived they would have been blind

SQUADRON WILL BE VERY ACTIVE

Elaborate Program Arranged for Off the New England Coast.

SHIPS WILL THEN GO SOUTH

Numerous Naval Problems to Be Worked Out by the Fleet During the August Maneuvers—Will Visit Oyster Bay.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, July 28.—An elaborate program for the maneuvers of the combined North Atlantic fleet off the coast of New England and Long Island sound during the month of August has been prepared at the navy department. The general features for the movements of the ships will be worked out by the department, leaving to Admiral Barker, the commanding officer, the numerous details incident to the maneuvers.

From August 5 to August 10 the search problem will be developed between East Port and Cape Ann. This will include an effort on the part of a presumably hostile squadron to enter an anchorage ground in the face of the defending fleet.

Following this there will be a cessation of two days, during which time the combined fleet will proceed to Long Island sound and anchor abreast of Oyster Bay on the night of Saturday, August 15. They will remain there during Sunday and on Monday they will be reviewed and inspected by President Roosevelt. From about August 22 to August 29 there will be joint demonstrations by the combined fleet against the batteries at Portland, Me. These will continue day and night and all the arts of mimic warfare will be resorted to by the men-of-war to gain safe entrance into the harbor. Umpires will decide the merits of the contest.

When the summer maneuvers are concluded the ships will go south and begin a season of target practice at Gay Head, in the vicinity of Martha's Vineyard. This will consume the first week in September and at its conclusion the ships will disperse to the various navy yards for repairs preparatory to their winter cruise in the West Indies. More than 30 vessels are expected to participate in the maneuvers.

WAGE ADVANCE WILL RELIEVE SITUATION

Settlement by Denny Organization Expected to Strengthen Glass Market.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., July 28.—While the fact was made public that the Denny organization at Hartford City, Ind., had received an increase of 15 per cent by the Independent Glass Company and the Federation Window Glass Company, still there are few here or elsewhere in the gas belt who believe it. They have not yet been officially notified, nevertheless it is the truth and the details are of interest.

This settlement will relieve the window glass situation by removing the possibility of glass being made by hand during the coming fire at any less rate than prevailed during the fire of 1902-3. It will no doubt strengthen the market, since it enables the dealers to buy with the knowledge that the cost of manufacturing has been definitely fixed.

In order to get anything like a fair return for their investment manufacturers operating under this scale will have to get at least 88 per cent off the list, the present paper price for their glass. The plan is believed to have been promoted by the trust, which is not ready to have the market cut.

Last week M. A. Opperman, the leading p[illegible] and window glass manufacturer of [illegible]rs at Gas City to witness the o[illegible]n of the American Window Glass Co[illegible]ny's blowing machines. Mr. Opperman came to this country as the special representative of the Belgian window glass manufacturers, who are very much interested in the new mechanical blower.

ACME OF BASENESS.

American Deserter Now in Prison Fooled Widow and Got Her Earnings.

HAMBURG, July 28.—(Special.)—During the recent visit of the American squadron to Kiel several desertions took place. One of the deserters has now been arrested in this city. He had taken rooms with a poor widow, whom he told he was the son of a general in the United States army, and explaining that he was temporarily embarrassed. He was given not only board and lodging, but the widow turned over to him her bank book, containing 120 marks, all she had in the world, that he should not go without the little luxuries which a gentleman of his standing was used to.

To substantiate his story the young man sent a cablegram to himself stating that his father, the general, would arrive in Hamburg on one of the first steamers to settle all his son's debts. The father, however, did not put in an appearance and the young American was arrested. He will now be sent to prison here, and after having served his term in jail will be turned over to the American consul.

CONFESSED THE MURDER.

Martin Eblet Says He Killed Wife Because She Asked for Money.

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—Martin Eblet confessed today to Coroner Weisendanger that he had killed his wife, who was strangled to death, and whose body was found in a sewer on Sunday. Finally he said, as though wearied with the examination: "Oh, I killed her."

He said she had worried him continually by asking for money and that she had told his sister that he was not able to support her properly and that she had made a mistake in marrying him.

Postal Clerks Elect Officers.

NEW YORK, July 28.—At the annual convention of the Second division National Association of Railway Postal Clerks today the following officers for the ensuing year and delegates to the national convention to be held at Washington, D. C., September 15 next, were elected: President, Fred S. Dietz, Harrisburg, Pa.; vice president, George W. Harrison, Washington, D. C.; secretary-treasurer, C. C. Relff, Philadelphia; delegate-at-large, J. C. Burkholder, Lancaster, Pa.; delegates, W. W. Bishop, Solon, O.; L. D. Jobes, Erie, Pa., and John J. Keopfer, Easton, Pa.

Negro Centenarian Dead.

Mary Elizabeth Carter died at her home in Duquesne and the body was interred in the Versailles cemetery yesterday. Mrs. Carter came to Duquesne over a year ago from Virginia. She was born in Culpepper county, near Culpepper Court House, Virginia, and, according to family records, was 104 years old. She was at one time a slave. Her husband still survives, in Virginia.

The big sale at Laird's begins Thursday morning at Both Stores.

LEOPOLD OF AUSTRIA AND HIS BRIDE.

The pictures show the Archduke Leopold of Austria and Mlle. Adamovic, the actress, to whom he was married on July 23, in a suburb of Geneva. Leopold is a brother of the eloping Crown Princess Louise, who created an international scandal last fall, by eloping with Prof. Giron.

BOY AT ORPHANS' HOME SHOOTS INSTRUCTOR

Lad Fired Revolver Twice as He Was Being Locked in Room. He Escapes.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

XENIA, O., July 28.—One of the pupils of the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans home, little Vernon Littrell, aged 14, today shot twice at Major Oliver Box, the military instructor and state politician at the home, severely wounding him. It happened while the major was unlocking a door preparatory to shutting Littrell in a room as punishment for having run away from the home. A 32-caliber revolver was used.

One bullet took effect in the muscles of the left shoulder, penetrating about six inches, the other struck Major Box in the back part of his head but glanced off and did no particular harm.

The boy, who came to the home from Gallia county in 1898, ran away last Saturday night and went to Dayton where he has a sister, Miss Lulu Littrell. This morning she brought him back and Major Box was about to lock him up when the boy whipped out his revolver and fired the two shots in rapid succession.

He then ran and escaped capture. When last seen he was headed toward Dayton. The police are in pursuit. It is not thought Major Box's wounds will prove fatal.

MOTHER'S HEARTRENDING DISCOVERY OF SON'S DEED

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—Returning with her husband from a visit to a friend's home early this morning, Mrs. James Pendergast stumbled over the body of her son in the hallway of their house in Williamsburg. The son, James, who was 32 years old, had taken carbolic acid, and he died while being removed in an ambulance to the Eastern District hospital.

Church Sells Gold Nuggets.

NEW CASTLE, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—Gold nuggets direct from the Klondike have been received by St. John's English Lutheran church from W. H. Bez, a member now in Alaska. They will be sold in church auction and the proceeds divided between the Sabbath school and Luther league.

Special Excursions to Chautauqua Lake, Niagara Falls and Toronto. Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Each Tuesday, Friday and Saturday during July and August, 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to Chautauqua lake points and return, $5.00.

Each Tuesday during July, August and September, 15-day excursion tickets, Pittsburgh to Niagara Falls and return, $7.45, and Toronto and return, $8.90.

Trains leave Union station at 9 a. m. and 11 p. m., eastern standard time. Pullman service on all through trains.

Special Chautauqua lake sleeping car now in service on 11 p. m. train.

LONG SLEEPER AWOKE ONLY TO DOSE AGAIN

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—After 44 days of steady sleeping Endicott C. Allen of Boston, who has been in the Monmouth hospital at Long Branch, woke up Monday. In going the rounds of the ward one of the nurses found Allen lying upon his bed wide awake, in which condition he remained for half an hour, then he fell asleep again. He has been in the hospital since June 14. The physicians believe now that there is hope for the young man's recovery.

New Church for Homestead.

St. John's Lutheran congregation of Homestead yesterday closed a deal with Thomas Parry for property in Tenth avenue for $10,000, on which to erect a brick church and parsonage to cost about $50,000.

Are You Lazy?

If you would have the happiness of health, with the elastic step and clear bright skin, set your digestive organs and liver right by using

Beecham's Pills

Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

DIED.

CHILDS—On Sunday, July 26, 1903, MARY HOWE, widow of James H. Childs.

Funeral services at her late residence, Fifth avenue and Woodland road, Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Please omit flowers.

CONKLE—On Tuesday, July 28, 1903, at 1 a. m., at her son's, John S. Conkle, MRS. CATHERINE, widow of Henry Conkle of Hookstown.

Funeral services at her late residence, Fifth avenue, Coraopolis, this evening at 7 o'clock, and services at Mill Creek church on Thursday at 1 p. m. Interment in Mill Creek cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

CUBBAGE—On Saturday, July 25, 1903, at 10 a. m., at Los Angeles, Cal., CHARLES A. CUBBAGE.

Notice of funeral later.

EMME—On Monday, July 27, 1903, at 5:30 a. m., W. J., husband of Nellie Emme (nee Gunn) in his 25d year.

Funeral from his parents' residence, 3475 Ligonier street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

GILFILLAN—On Tuesday, July 28, 1903, at her home, in Upper St. Clair township, ANNIE BOYD, wife of Alexander Gilfillan, Esq.

Funeral services at her late residence on Thursday, July 30, at 3 o'clock p. m. Carriages will meet friends at end of Mt. Lebanon street car line between 1:30 and 2:30 p. m.

KLOPFER—On Monday, July 27, 1903, at 10 p. m., EMMA MARIE, wife of C. F. Klopfer, aged 76 years.

Funeral services at her late residence, No. 318 Main street, on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Interment private.

(Philadelphia papers please copy.)

MARSHALL—On Monday, July 27, 1903, at 12:10 p. m., MRS. EFFA L. MARSHALL (nee Onstott), in her 45th year, at Coraopolis.

Funeral services at the late residence, Thursday, July 30, at 2:30 p. m. Interment at Coraopolis cemetery.

(Chicago papers please copy.)

MACKEY—On Tuesday, July 28, 1903, at 2 a. m., DORA ILLINE MACKEY, daughter of George S. and Katherine Mackey, aged 2 years, 7 months and 6 days.

Funeral services from parents' residence, No. 7109 Bennett street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MILLER—On Sunday, July 26, 1903, at 8 p. m., at his residence, No. 4046 Liberty avenue, HENRY A., beloved husband of Elizabeth Miller (nee White), aged 30 years, 1 month, 15 days.

Funeral services on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private on Wednesday at 2 p. m.

[Canton (O.) papers please copy.]

PORTER—Suddenly, at Mt. Clemens, Mich., on Sunday evening, July 26, 1903, at 6 o'clock, EDWIN W. PORTER, in his 53d year.

Peaceful be thy silent member,
Peaceful in thy grave so low,
Thou no more will join thy number,
Thou no more thy songs wilt know.

Yet again we hope to meet thee,
When the day of life is fled,
And in heaven with joy to greet thee,
Where no farewell tears are shed.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 4538 Penn avenue, on Wednesday afternoon, July 29, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family and members of Ethel Conclave, 314, I. O. H., William Thaw Castle, No. 470, Knights of the Golden Eagle, and B. P. O. Elks, No. 11, are respectfully invited to attend.

STOAKES—On Monday, July 27, 1903, at her home, Wellsville, O., ELIZABETH STEVENSON, wife of John R. Stoakes.

Funeral services at her late residence, Wellsville, O., on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock (Standard time). Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

SPELLMAN—On Tuesday, July 28, 1903, at 11:10 a. m., MARTIN, son of Martin and Bridget Spellman (nee Hession), aged 3 years, 7 months.

Funeral from the family residence, No. 5106 Kent alley, Eighteenth ward, on Thursday, July 30, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

STORER—On Sunday, July 26, 1903, at 2 p. m., RICHARD STORER, in his 77th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, Elizabeth, Pa., on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment in Elizabeth cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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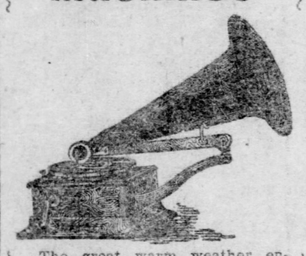
Talking Machines



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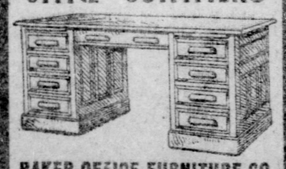

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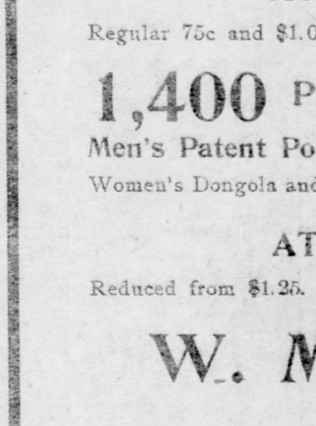

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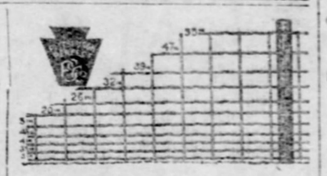

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PRISONERS RELEASE CITIZENS

All the Criminals Are Yet at Large, Except the One Shot Dead at Pilot Hill. Headed for Abscure Spot in the Mountain.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PLACERVILLE, CAL., July 28.—Of the 13 convicts who escaped from the state penitentiary at Folsom yesterday 12 are still at large. Joseph Murphy, who was serving a 14 years' sentence for robbery, was shot dead last night at Pilot Hill. S. W. Gordon, the reported leader of the gang, who had been sentenced to 45 years for robbery, deserted his followers soon after they left the prison. He was heavily armed and it is not known in which direction he sought safety. A negro convict named Seavis, who was reported wounded in the first encounter with the officers, appears not to have been injured.

The 11 outlaws who remain together are making for the Sierra Nevada mountains. They are closely pursued by the sheriffs of Sacramento, Eldorado and Placer counties, each backed by numerous deputies and assisted by a company of militia. About 20 guards from the Folsom prison are also engaged in the chase, and it is believed that the fugitives will soon be surrounded. A desperate battle is anticipated, as all are heavily armed.

The work of the pursuing posses has been rendered less difficult than was anticipated by the unexpected action of the convicts, who today released all of the citizens they held as hostages. It is thought this course was prompted by a lack of food and ammunition. The 11 are believed to be near Placerville, Eldorado county, in a rough country and not far from the mountains, which they evidently hope to make their refuge.

The fight at Pilot Hill last night between the convicts and their pursuers seems to have been more serious than at first reported. After they had looted a provision store at Pilot Hill they were practically surrounded by the sheriffs of Sacramento and Placer counties, each commanding a strong posse. All four horses of the convicts' wagon were shot and one of the criminals was killed outright. Then the outlaws raised a white flag and marched up the road with the guards and others whom they had captured on each side of them. A general volley was not ordered, as it might have killed several innocent men. In this deliberate manner the second escape was made. The pursuing officers have been instructed to shoot the convicts on sight.

SACRAMENTO, CAL., July 28.—The coroner's jury in the death of Guard W. L. Cotter rendered a verdict of murder against all the convicts who escaped. The inquest was held at Folsom prison.

ALLEGHENY NIGHT.

Great Crowd Attends Second Performance of Pain's "The Last Days of Pompeii."

Allegheny night at Pain's "The Last Days of Pompeii," and the fireworks, attracted a large crowd to Exposition ball park last night. It was estimated that between 3,000 and 4,000 persons were in attendance. The performance was even better than on the opening night, and a successful two weeks is assured Pain and his performers.

The pyrotechnic display after Mt. Vesuvius had erupted and the city of Pompeii had fallen, was magnificent. Two balloons were sent up as the opening. The first balloon went high into the sky, carrying a ball of fire. From the ball dropped six vari-colored lights, haiging in a row. The pyrotechnic display ended with a fireworks portrait of Mayor James G. Wyman, which was heartily applauded.

The Shriners will hold forth at Exposition park tonight and during the big fireworks program the ensigns of loyalty will be burned in great pictures of fire. Tomorrow night the Elks will have their inning and the purple and white colors of this popular order will be seen on all sides. "The Last Days of Pompeii" will close its engagement here on Saturday, August 8.

PENROSE WAS VIOLENT.

Witness Admits Using Force to Prevent Being Cut Himself.

Leon Tibbetts of Homestead was arrested yesterday by County Detectives P. J. Morrissey and George H. Waggoner and committed to jail as a witness to the death of William Penrose of No. 689 Eighth avenue, Homestead, who died from the effects of an assault Saturday night, it is alleged, at the hands of Walter Johnston, who is also in jail pending the inquest.

Tibbetts was questioned by County Detective Robert G. Robinson yesterday afternoon and said that he had struck Penrose. Penrose was beating his wife and Tibbetts interfered. Penrose went at Tibbetts with a knife and the latter knocked him down and beat him about the face.

Penrose went into the yard and laid down in the grass. Later his wife and Johnston attempted to take him to his room, and Penrose struck Johnston. The latter dealt him several blows. Later Penrose was carried to his room, where he died Monday. Penrose was 52 years old.

SMALL GIRL IS A MYSTERY.

Lawrenceville Police Have a Waif Whose Behavior Puzzles Them.

The Lawrenceville police are mystified by a small, dark-complected girl, of about 12 years, who is either crazy or lives in great fear of her mother. She gives her name as Sophia Blank, and is being detained at No. 5 police station until her parents can be found. Policeman Michael Carney found her at the home of Martin Koch, No. 3436 Penn avenue, where the child had gone in quest of something to eat.

According to her story her parents have lived in Pittsburgh for three months, having removed here from New Castle. She says she lives in Jones avenue, but no family could be found in that street who knew of such a child. Sophia says that while washing dishes Sunday, she dropped a plate, which broke. This angered her mother and she was thrashed and sent from the house. Sunday night she says she slept on a front porch. Sophia acts as though she did not want her parents found. All she will say about them is that her father works in a steel mill.

OVERCOME BY HEAT; FELL THIRTY FEET

Albert Williams, aged 30 years, of Hays, was overcome by the heat while at work on the roof of a house on West street, Homestead, yesterday afternoon, and fell 30 feet, breaking his right arm and injuring both his legs. He was taken home.

Bank Building Completed.

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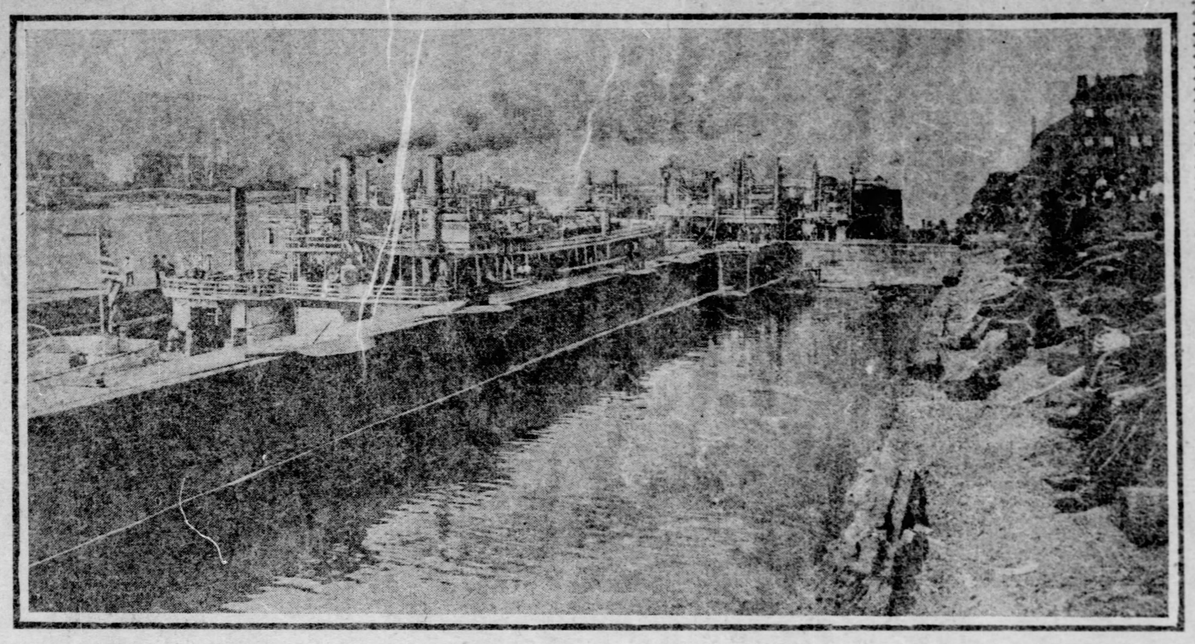

General View of Steamboats That Took Part in the Dam Celebration.

CELEBRATION OF DAM OPENING AT HERRS ISLAND

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arm and the canine was almost killed by the force of the collision. Metcuis was taken to his home.

Leo Delorenzie, driver on an ice wagon, was delivering ice at the Island hotel on Herrs island when the boat and factory whistles were opened in a chorus. His horses ran away, and while trying to stop them Delorenzie was thrown under the wagon and run over. His right leg was broken and he is injured internally. He was taken home.

FIGHT AGAINST THE DAVIS ISLAND DAM

A Brief History of Opposition Waged Against Improvement by Coal Men.

The celebration of yesterday will recall to the minds of many Pittsburghers the events connected with the building of the Davis Island dam, which was the initial movement on the part of the government in the direction of extensive improvement of the local rivers, and which has proven so beneficial to the commerce of Pittsburgh. The opinion generally prevails among the present generation that this great work was undertaken by the government at the request of those interested in our river commerce and of late years since the great advantage of the dam has become so manifest, the river interests have said nothing to discourage this idea. To show that it is erroneous, and to give the credit where it belongs, a short history of the movement, culled from the Pittsburgh papers of that period, is herewith given.

Coal Exchange an Obstructionist.

The Pittsburgh Gazette of January 29, 1877, contains an account of a meeting of the Pittsburgh Coal exchange, held in the office of Captain J. C. Risher two days previous (Saturday, January 27,) at which Simpson Horner, Joseph Walton, George T. Miller and Charles W. Batcheler were appointed a committee to go to Washington and oppose the scheme to license coal boats and barges. At that meeting it was decided to file a protest against the bill providing for the condemnation of property for site of the dam. The account runs: "The exchange, as is well known, is opposed to this improvement, for which congress has already made an appropriation, and it wishes to be put 'right on records.'"

At an adjourned meeting of the exchange on February 3 (See Gazette of February 5, 1877) the members of the organization attempted to divert the money from the cause for which it was appropriated by passing this resolution: "That our representatives in congress be requested to pass an act authorizing the use of the appropriation of $100,000, granted by congress, for the commencement of the lock and dam at Davis island, in the Ohio river, in building wing dams, closing island chutes and removing snags and other obstructions in the channel between Pittsburgh and Cincinnati." George T. Miller, Simpson Horner and I. N. Bunton were appointed a committee to memoralize congress on the subject.

Exchange Could Not See Benefits.

The Gazette of February 15, 1877, shows that on the day previous a special meeting of the exchange was held in the Gilmore building, Water street, to take measures against the passage of the "bill now before the legislature ceding to the United States jurisdiction over such lands as may be required for the improvements on the Ohio and other streams." The account continues:

"This bill was defeated a few days ago, but owing to the efforts of some of our representatives, backed by a strong indorsement from the chamber of commerce, it has been reconsidered and is again before the house. The members of the exchange regard the bill as simply intended to secure the construction of a dam a few miles below the city, which, in their judgment, will prove a costly obstruction, rather than benefit. George T. Miller presided.

Col. J. M. Schoonmaker reported that Capt. McGill was engaged in preparing a statement showing the magnitude of the coal interests on the river. The colonel stated that this data (showing complete tonnage and number of employes of Exchange members) could be used to advantage in influencing the legislature in its action upon the measure. Col. Schoonmaker reported that petitions were being extensively circulated and signed by employes of river and coal men, praying the legislature not to pass the bill. Discussion following made it apparent that all present were unanimous in their opposition to the bill. Col. Schoonmaker, William W. O'Neill, Simpson Horner, Addison Lysle, N. J. Bigley, Mr. Frazier, Isaac N. Bunton, N. J. O'Neil and Mr. Miller were appointed a committee to go to Harrisburg and present the case of the coal men.

Mistaken Ideas of Victory.

The Gazette of the following day shows that on that day Representative Walker of Allegheny, in the legislature, offered a resolution touching on the dam, and "after considerable discussion it was voted down. Another victory for the coal men."

In the Pittsburgh Evening Telegraph of February 15, 1877, appears a sarcastic communication signed "Many Coal Men," in which the dam is branded as a foolish obstruction, and those members of the chamber of commerce who, at a meeting on the Saturday previous took favorable action on the dam question, are denounced. The writer, or writers, aver with considerable show of feeling that Beaver would, in case the dam was constructed, become the head of navigation; that in Pittsburgh no wharfmaster would be needed, and coal men would be relieved from city taxes and high wharfage."

The communication set forth that when the dam would be completed boats could not get under the bridges, and it refers to those favoring the improvement as "a few selfish individuals, who would destroy millions to gain their ends." It speaks of the probable injury to the iron men down the river who would be hampered in getting their supply of coal, and says that the local promoters of the dam scheme "have some private scheme in view and call it a public benefit, but it would be a national obstruction, costing millions of dollars to the government and hundreds of thousands of dollars annually to coal men."

Looked at the Wrong Side.

The correspondent contends that "Pittsburgh iron men favor the dam so that Pittsburgh coal men cannot ship coal to the lower markets and sell cheap to the different mills in competition to Pittsburgh manufacturers."

Before the board of directors of the chamber of commerce on March 5, 1877 (see Gazette of March 6), with Thomas M. Howe in the chair, Capt. John F. Dravo presented a resolution touching the passage of the dam bill in the United States senate, viz.: "Resolved, That our senators be requested to have inserted certain provisions, viz.: 'Dam must have an 80 feet slackwater clear 400 feet in width at such points as will secure an easy passage into channel below dam;' " and also providing that it shall be free from toll.

"Dravo, in presenting the resolution," according to the published account, "said he had, from the beginning, favored passage of the bill, but pointed out that if the dam was constructed at the point designated, without proper gateway, it would be ruinous to the coal trade. If it became necessary to run the coal which passed down the river through a lock at that point, it would virtually kill the business, as it would require so much time to lock the boats through that not more than one-half the coal usually shipped off by a rise in the river, could possibly get through the lock in time. Mr. Kelly pointed out that coal men strongly opposed the construction of dams in the Monongahela river as injurious to their interests."

Dravo Again Stood Alone.

Mr. Kelly, according to this undisputed publication, "thought that the resolution should not be adopted as it was only a trick to have the bill sent back to the house, which would kill it." Mr. Marshall thought the amendment would kill the bill, at this session at least. Mr. Hallman, for Dravo's benefit, remarked that a manufacturer had told him that his one mill brought more money to the city than all the coal men combined, and that, instead of enriching the community, were impoverishing it; they were taking out the coal and bringing back nothing in return. The resolutions were rejected, Dravo alone voting in the affirmative. Dravo threatened to go to Harrisburg, and the chamber took steps to offset any additional reasons he might set up before the legislature tending to strengthen his cause.

The senate committee on federal relations held a special meeting on the evening of March 6 (see Gazette of March 7, 1877). Capt. George T. Miller, J. N. O'Neill and Simpson Horner spoke against placing obstructions in the shape of dams in the rivers. Capt. W. P. Tyler, Capt. Lewis and John P. Smith favored the improvement, and the Dravo amendment was voted down in committee.

Coal Men Were Short Sighted.

From the very suggestion of the Davis island dam until the improvement was well under way, the river and coal men were continuously sending communications of protest to the lawmakers of Pennsylvania and the United States, according to accounts published in all the local newspapers, and the Coal exchange left no stone unturned in its efforts to combat the work of more progressive and far-sighted business men, and the coal men also sent petitions to Major Merrill, United States engineer in charge of the work.

On May 14 "Looker On" addressed a communication to The Gazette in which he claimed that the dam would interfere with the entire river commerce. He addressed another letter to the same publication on May 25, claiming that the dam would drive coal men from navigation of the river. He calls the dam an experiment, fears that it will prove a failure, and speaks of the difficulty of removing it in that event. Continuing, he says: "Sluice dropping chanoine wickets to the bottom of the river will not remove the huge piers and walls which will have to be constructed, nor the 'wires' or solid dams, built up two and four feet above the river bed."

Borrowed Trouble Both Ways.

He says that even if control over shutting and opening the gates shall be as prompt and absolute as the "sesame of the Forty Thieves," and the "boats get down through the locks all right, the locks would be there on the return trip to interfere." The writer takes Col. Merrill to task for an alleged intimation in the meetings that commerce was out of his line, and continues: "If this experiment should kill commerce it would only be in accordance with what is usually the effect of military interference in the affairs of civil life, its business being to kill."

"Looker On" stated that the width of the river would be reduced from 1,200 to 400 feet, and that the pools would be more likely to freeze over and remain frozen than an open and unobstructed river. He states that small operators can not do business under the plan and speaks of the alleged increased danger to river craft through the adoption of the navigable pass, which on account of its narrowness would increase the velocity of the water.

The Gazette of June 5, 1878, shows that the "River Improvement" question was brought up in the chamber of commerce the day previous, as the report reads, "Col. Schoonmaker, as representing the Coal exchange, favored the discussion of the question, and wished to correct a false impression that had gone abroad that coal men were selfish and opposed to improving the navigation of the river. They all favored improvement —radical, permanent improvement, that would benefit all interests and injure none. They were not men of narrow views, bent on protecting one single interest, as was supposed. They cannot be made to believe, however, that the Davis island dam will improve the Ohio river, whatever it may do for the harbor of Pittsburgh."

They Began to See the Light.

At a meeting of the chamber of commerce held on August 5, (See Gazette of August 6), Capt. Dravo, chairman of the committee on rivers and harbors, reported that the government "was going on with the Davis island dam in earnest." The Gazette of Wednesday, September 11, sets forth that on the day previous, Col. Merrill met with the quarterly meeting of the chamber of commerce and signified his willingness to answer questions relating to the dam. Mr. Herron asked if the dam would have any effect on the harbor of the city in the way of deposit of sediment, but the colonel did not anticipate any thing of the kind. It was reported that the model of the dam would be in working order at the exposition on Monday, and The Gazette of Tuesday, October 2, states that J. R. McCune offered before the chamber of commerce a resolution setting forth that certain members had examined the model dam at the exposition, and were impressed with the simplicity and apparent practicability of so improving the Ohio.

That the chamber of commerce was kept busy combatting the obstruction game of the coal exchange is indicated by a report made to the chamber of commerce on February 18, 1878, by its president, Gen. J. K. Moorhead, who said he had just returned from appearing before the Ohio river commission at Washington, and expressed the opinion that the Ohio would be improved, notwithstanding letters from the coal exchange.

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Two Travelers Placed in Serious Situation by Shifting of Pullman Cars.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

DES MOINES, IA., July 28.—Marooned in the lavatory of a Minneapolis and St. Louis flyer, clad only in the flimsiest of laces and lingerie, their outer garments and luggage miles away in another sleeper, such was the predicament of Misses Luella Cotter and Olive Arthur, two society girls bound for Omaha from their homes in Minneapolis.

With tears in their eyes and blushes suffusing their cheeks the two prisoners of modesty pleaded with and finally prevailed upon the conductor "to back up" the train all the way from Kalo to Fort Dodge in order that the girls might board again the Omaha sleeper, which contained the remainder of their wardrobe.

The girls had risen to perform early morning ablutions, and finding the toilet room of their own car locked, slipped into the sleeper ahead. While they were enjoying the luxury of a cold face bath the Omaha sleeper from Minneapolis was cut off by the Minneapolis and St. Louis train and turned over to the Illinois Central. The girls had taken no note of this change, and when they came from the toilet room their car was miles away, and they—well, they were not attired for a street walk.

MORE STRIKERS WERE ARRESTED AT PORT VUE

Former Workmen Accused of Insulting Non-Union Men While Going to Work.

Only one unusual scene enlivened the day at the Port Vue plant yesterday. While a number of workmen employed in the mill were on their way to work yesterday afternoon, Philip Reese, a former workman at the mill, and John Thomas, a hanger-on, called them names. The men were arrested by Chief of Police Oakes of Port Vue, but they posted forfeits for an appearance before Burgess James Baird for their hearing this morning.

Seven mills were operated at the plant all day yesterday until 3:30 in the afternoon, when an eighth mill was placed in operation. Superintendent William Davey yesterday stated that he was pleased with the outlook. He said the company did not wish for any settlement with the men upon the conditions prescribed by the officials when the strike was inaugurated. The strikers are still confident of winning their points.

The officials of the company are emphatic in their assertion that no efforts have been made to bring about a settlement of the trouble. The company is determined to operate the plant as an open mill, while the Amalgamated association officials say that only a full recognition of the union will be accepted.

No wash boiler with Fels-Naptha soap; no steam in the house; no bad smells; no rough and shrivelled hands.

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The colored wash brighter
The work is far lighter

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CAUSING MUCH EXCITEMENT

Are the wonderful money-saving values we're now offering in women's seasonable attire. A backward season, together with several large purchases lately made, enables us to offer bargains IMPOSSIBLE under ordinary circumstances. Thrifty, discriminating buyers will therefore read these items with interest:

Women's Wash Dresses and Silk Shirt Waist Suits: Our entire assortment—dainty, unique, out-of-the-ordinary styles, in all choice summer fabrics; made in newest effects; perfect in fit, now ½ off, i. e., $30 ones, now $15; $15, now $7.50; $7.50 ones, now $3.75; (early selection advisable)..... ½ off

Shirt Waist Suits: Early season values, $5.00, today $2.98. Just as chic, stylish, desirable as day received—only reason reduced, TOO MANY. In white lawns, percales or black-and-white dimities; pouch sleeves; Bishop stock and all new fads; very dressy and serviceable $2.98

Women's $2.50 White Lawn Shirt Waists Suits, today, 98c: Just 200 of them. Lister bought the whole lot at time when maker thought the season's outlook poor. We couldn't duplicate them to-day at TWICE THE COST—stylish, serviceable garments; made with strict attention to details, with deep flounce; sizes 32 to 44 bust measure; worth every bit of $2.50, yours today at only..... 98c

Fine Wash Waists; worth 75c, $1.00 and $1.25, now 50c: Not very many—probably just enough for today's selling. Come in lawns, white and figured madras and percales—all go today at... 50c

Wash Waists at $1.00: Real summery in weight; full of style—well made, and so perfect in fit these waists are well worth YOUR consideration. In popular materials, new effects; on sale today you'd pay $1.50 and $2 for elsewhere, here... $1.00

Stylish Waists, were $3, $3.50 and $5, now $1.69. It's savings like these that count. One could look the town over, and not secure better bargains. Include finest Jap silk and lawns; large pouch sleeves; and all new effects, today..... $1.69

Muslin Drawers and Skirts: 50c quality, today, 25c. Represent part of a large purchase. Might say most fortunate purchase. Large number—lace and embroidery trimmed only..... 25c

Muslin Gowns, Skirts and Drawers: 75c quality now 50c: This assortment also included in recent underwear deal; hundreds of garments; tucked, lace and embroidery trimmed, yours today at one price..... 50c

Skirt Chemises, Gowns, Drawers and Skirts, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 quality, now 75c. Makes least big sum of money on these. That's your gain. Garments are by far most attractive we've ever presented—well made and finished, today..... 75c

Showing advance styles Women's New Fall Suits, $15 to $30

Women's Summer Furnishings

Summer Neckwear, in white P. K. stocks, with tabs, were 25c, now..... 13c

Newest Midsummer Ideas, in women's washable stocks, with tabs, in lawn, P. K. and lace effects at 25c and..... 25c

Women's Belts; stylish effects in silk or leather; newest ideas for midsummer wear, in large assortments at 75c, 50c and..... 25c

New Veilings; splendid showing of all that's new in women's veils; all the latest "fads" and popular colorings—do the veiling business here on small profit basis—buy from us and save money.

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR

Women's 15c Ribbed Balbriggan Vests; with wing sleeves, now..... 9c

Women's 15c Fast Black Ribbed Vests; now..... 13c

Women's 50c Lace Ribbed Vests; in mercerized silk; also 63c and $1.00 Korso combination vests now..... 25c

Women's 25c and 34c Ribbed Balbriggan Pants, with wide lace trimming, now..... 21c

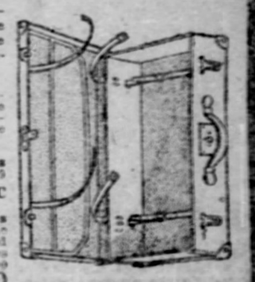
Women's 50c Fancy Stockings; odds and ends in stripes, figures and plain colors, to close now..... 25c

Choice new styles in Women's Lace weave Stockings, handsome styles at 50c and..... 25c

Children's 13c and 15c Vests and Pants; now..... 10c

Traveling Requisites

Pays—PAYS WELL—to buy them here, where assortments are the largest and prices lowest.



Suit Cases; largest assortment in these cities to select from—prices, too, within the reach of all—details:

Enameled Rubber Dress Suit Cases, the $1.39 kind, here..... 89c

Cowhide Leather Dress Suit Cases, made with shirt fold; Holland linen lined, with straps or brass catches; $8.00 values, here..... $5.00

Finer Dress Suit Cases at $25.00 and down to..... $6.50

Satchels—splendid showing of all that's new in club, English Oxford, Cabin and Gladstone bags; come in sheepskin, grain, morocco, seal, walrus and horn alligator; many in the fashionable black color; prices $25 and down to..... 89c

Trunks—75 styles here to select from; biggest showing in Greater Pittsburgh. Prices defy all competition, $40 and down to..... $2.50

Special showing of twenty high-grade trunks; covered with extra heavy canvas, water-proof paint, hardwood slats; patent brass plated clamps; reverse slats on end; extra heavy bolts; cloth lined; heavy straps, brass Yale lock; covered tray with hat form and extra shirt tray; 34 inch; at $11; $13.50 and $15—according to choice of any in the lot; sizes 32 to 40 inches, for..... $15.00

GIANT STRIDES!

All Records Broken.

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The side-wheel steamers for Brownsville, Morgantown and way landings leave wharfboat foot of Smithfield street as follows: Steamer Columbia and C. C. Woodward daily at 3 p. m., Sunday at 8:30 a. m. For Brownsville, Steamer Edgar Cherry daily at 4 p. m., except Sunday. From Pittsburgh to Morgantown and return, including meals and berths, $2.50. For freight or passage apply to J. M. GAMBLE, Mgr. Tel. Bell 2356 Court.

Pittsburgh & Cincinnati Packet Line

Str. for Wheeling, Marietta, Parkersburg, Gallipolis, Huntington, Ironton, Portsmouth, Cincinnati, Louisville, Memphis, St. Louis and way landings. Leave wharf-boat foot Wood st. as follows: Keystone State, Mondays; Queen City, Wednesdays, at 4 p. m. From Pittsburgh to Cincinnati, $7; round trip, $12 and $14, meals, berths included; down by boat, return by rail, $4. For freight or passage apply to Jas. A. Henderson, Mgr. Tel. 1911 Court.

KANAWHA RIVER PACKET.

Steamer GREENWOOD, Gordon C. Greene, Captain, leaves Patterson's wharfboat every Friday at 4 p. m. for Wheeling, Marietta, Parkersburg, Gallipolis, Charleston and Coal Valley. This passenger and freight steamer has all modern improvements. Fare to Charleston, $5.50; round trip $10. J. R. Patterson & Co., C. H. Ghrient, 320 Water st.

RAILROADS.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

(Eastern Standard Time.)

Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Sts.:

LINES EAST	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom.	* 6:30 am	* 9:45 pm
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas.	* 8:00 am	* 2:45 pm
Wash., Balt. & N. York	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Conn'v., Un'n & Fairm't	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Cumb., Wash. & Balt.	* 9:00 am	* 7:00 pm
West Newton Accom.	† 9:15 am	† 8:00 am
Con'v., Un'n, Morgant'n	† 1:30 pm	†10:05 am
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas't	† 1:30 pm	† 5:45 pm
Connellsville Accom.	* 4:00 pm	† 5:00 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	† 5:00 pm	†12:50 pm
Philadelphia and New York (Duquesne Limi.)	* 6:50 pm	* 9:15 am
Wash., Balt. & Phila.	* 9:00 pm	* 7:00 am
LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.		
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 7:00 am	*10:35 pm
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 8:30 am	* 7:45 pm
Wng., Zanesv. & Col. Ac.	* 1:05 pm	* 4:00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel'g Ac.	* 4:20 pm	* 9:00 am
Wash. (Pa.) & Wng. Ac.	* 5:55 pm	* 8:40 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 8:00 pm	* 7:35 pm
LINES WEST VIA AKRON		
Cleve., Akron & Youngs't	* 7:50 am	* 8:15 am
Chicago and Cleveland	* 3:05 pm	*12:55 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8:05 pm	* 7:40 am

Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.

Butler	† 7:30 am	† 7:55 am
Butler, Foxburg	† 8:15 am	† 5:10 pm
Butler, Con'ut Lake, Erie	† 8:15 am	† 6:30 pm
Butler	†10:45 am	† 4:40 am
Butler, Con'ut Lake, Erie	† 1:15 pm	† 1:00 pm
Ellwood City	† 1:15 pm	† 6:30 pm
Butler, Clarion, Greenv.	† 5:30 pm	†10:25 am
Ellwood, New Castle	† 5:30 pm	† 9:40 am
Butler	† 6:15 pm	† 5:10 pm
Ellwood, New Castle and Foxburg	† 6:15 pm	† 9:40 am
Butler	†11:30 pm	† 7:20 am

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

RAILROADS.

Pittsburgh Union Station.

Pennsylvania Lines.

By Central Standard Time.

TRAINS.	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis	* 1:50 am	* 1:45 am
Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis	* 8:00 am	* 8:00 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 4:55 am	* 4:40 pm
Richmond and Chicago	* 9:00 am	* 4:40 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 8:10 am	* 6:44 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	* 8:10 am	* 1:14 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 8:10 am	* 6:44 pm
Jamestown and Youngstown	* 6:30 am	* 1:25 pm
Ohio Valley Express	* 6:45 am	* 1:50 pm
Toledo and Chicago	* 7:00 am	* 1:50 pm
Ohio and Toledo	* 7:00 am	* 1:50 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 7:00 pm	* 4:15 pm
The Pittsburgher	* 8:00 am	* 4:40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8:05 am	* 4:40 pm
Erie, Meadville and Oil City	* 9:05 am	*12:05 pm
Erie, Mercer and Oil City	* 9:05 am	* 4:30 pm
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 9:55 am	*10:55 am
Youngstown and Conneaut	* 9:55 am	*10:55 am
Columbus and Chicago	* 2:00 pm	* 8:30 pm
Youngstown and Jamestown	* 2:35 pm	* 8:30 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	* 2:35 pm	* 8:30 pm
Cleveland and Toledo	* 3:30 pm	* 8:30 pm
Wellsville and Crestline	* 4:35 pm	* 8:30 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4:35 pm	* 8:30 pm
Columbus and Chicago	* 4:35 pm	* 8:30 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 4:35 pm	* 8:30 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 4:40 pm	* 8:40 pm
New Castle and Jamestown	* 5:50 pm	* 9:35 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 5:50 pm	* 9:35 am
New Castle and Jamestown	* 5:50 pm	* 9:35 am
Cleveland and Chicago	* 6:00 pm	* 1:40 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 7:35 pm	* 4:20 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8:10 pm	* 6:00 am
The Pa. Limited	* 8:10 pm	* 6:00 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 8:10 pm	* 6:00 am
The Chicago Limited	* 8:10 pm	* 6:00 am
Akron and Detroit	* 9:00 pm	* 8:55 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	*11:00 pm	* 5:30 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	*11:00 pm	* 5:40 am

Leave Allegheny for Pittsburgh, Pa., 6:05, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 a. m., 12:00 noon, 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00, 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 p. m., 12:01 night. Sundays, 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00, 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 a. m., 12:00 noon, 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00, 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 p. m., 12:01 night.

Leave for Steubenville, 6:40 a. m., 12:30 p. m.

Leave for Bellaire, 6:40 a. m., 12:30 p. m.

Leave Allegheny for Pittsburgh and Arrive, 6:35 a. m., 12:00 noon and 4:25 p. m. week-days.

Time tables, tickets and sleeping car space may be obtained at the Pittsburgh Union Station, Fifth avenue and Liberty street, Allegheny.

G. W. BOYD, General Manager. E. A. FORD, General Passr. Agt.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.
CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.

Schedule in effect June 14, 1903.

Central Time.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chi. & Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 9:40 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 5:10 pm
Chicago Express and Ft. Wayne	* 9:00 am	* 5:10 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 3:25 am	* 7:15 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line	*12:50 pm	* 9:00 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 2:20 pm	*12:50 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 2:20 pm	*12:50 pm
Boston Special	* 5:00 pm	* 4:35 am
Cleve'd & Detroit Flyer	* 6:00 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Express	* 6:00 pm	* 4:35 am
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex.	*10:30 pm	* 6:35 am
Youngstown Accommodat'n	* 5:25 am	* 8:00 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	* 9:00 am	* 5:45 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	* 9:00 am	* 9:50 am
West Pittsburgh Accom.	†12:10 pm	* 4:15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 5:30 pm	†11:30 pm
New Castle Express	† 5:30 pm	† 9:50 am
Beaver Valley Express	* 5:25 pm	* 9:50 am
Fayette City Accom.	† 6:10 am	† 7:20 am
Fayette C. & N. Haven Ex.	* 8:00 am	* 8:00 am
McKeesp't & Fayette City	†11:50 am	†12:40 pm
Fayette C. & New Haven	* 3:30 pm	* 5:40 pm
Fayette City, New Haven	* 5:20 pm	* 5:40 pm

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beading and Beechmont, 15:25 a. m., 12:10, 5 p. m.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only. ||Arrive 6:00 p. m. train on Sundays to Youngstown only.

City ticket office, 357 Fifth ave., Park Bldg.

J. D. YOUNG, Gen. Supt. A. ROBINSON, Gen. Pass Agent.

Pittsburgh, Pa.

BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.

Schedule in effect May 17, 1903. Trains leave B. & O. Depot, Allegheny (Eastern Standard Time) for Conneaut, O., Erie, Girard, Meadville and Conneaut Lake, at 8:15 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.; for Greenville, Mercer, Grove City and Keister at 8:15 a. m., 1:15 and 3:50 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday. E. D. COMSTOCK, G. P. A., Pittsburgh, Pa.

RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Trains leave on Eastern Standard Time.

From Union Station, Pittsburgh, FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.

Seashore Limited, daily, for Philadelphia and New York	1:20 a. m.
Atlantic Express, daily	3:00 a. m.
Pennsylvania Limited, daily	7:15 a. m.
New York Limited, daily	7:15 a. m.
Day Express, daily	7:50 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily	10:00 a. m.
Harrisburg Mail, daily	12:05 p. m.
Cresson and Ebensburg Special*	2:40 p. m.
Harrisburg Express, daily	4:40 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily	4:50 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily	7:10 p. m.
Fast Line, daily	11:00 p. m.

"Pittsburgh Limited," daily, for New York only..... 10:00 p. m.

Sea Shore Limited, daily, Sleeping cars to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. No coaches..... 10:00 p. m.

Pittsburgh Mail, Sundays only..... 8:50 a. m.

For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 2:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. daily.

For Oil City, 7:00 a. m., 1:30, 5:05 and 11:00 p. m. week days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m., 5:05 and 11:00 p. m.

For Titusville and Derry, 6:15, 9:00 a. m. and 5:15 p. m. week days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. For Titusville only, 3:00 p. m. week-days.

For Butler, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30 and 5:05 p. m. week days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 5:05 p. m.

For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, 40 mile route), 8:00 a. m. and 10:00 p. m. daily. "Pennsylvania Limited," and "New York Limited," 7:15 a. m

GERMANS MAD AT THE KAISER

Storm of Protest Caused by His Entertaining Cornelius Vanderbilt.

SAY YANKEES ARE CONCEITED

Berlin Press Berates the Emperor for Receiving an American Without Title and Denounce the Action as Being Unwise.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, July 28.—The criticism of the kaiser for having been too friendly to Cornelius Vanderbilt continues in the whole German press, and even papers known for their loyalty to the government are blaming the emperor for having forgotten his dignity as head of the great German empire.

What has aroused the greatest bitterness against the kaiser is the fact that he entertained Cornelius Vanderbilt, a private American with no official standing, in great style at the historical old castle of Marienburg, the old-time seat of the famous "Johanniter Order," and also that he gave orders to the commanding general and the government officials at Danzig to put themselves at the disposition of Mr. Vanderbilt. A local paper says today in an editorial:

"When it is considered how enormously conceited the Yankees already are and how convinced they feel that the universe could not exist without the United States, the acts of the kaiser in making German officials kow-tow to an ordinary American citizen, who happens to possess a few dollars, appears exceedingly unwise and will only serve to strengthen the opinion held by many Americans and daily corroborated by a servile press which exists by flattering their conceited readers, that Germany has no higher wish than to win the favor and approval of the United States.

"The German nation wishes to maintain friendly relations with the United States as with any and all other nations, but it is time that the Yankee was given to understand that the German people now as ever sanctions the historical words of the late Prince Bismarck: 'We Germans fear God only, but no power in the world.'"

The Hamburger Nachrichten also gives its disapproval vent in an exceedingly bitter article, and says: "What do you think Prince Bismarck or Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse would say if they could witness all this? Has it really come to this that German officials are ordered to tie the shoestrings of a Vanderbilt? What will the whole world think of us if we continue this undignified conduct?"

This article by Bismarck's old paper has been reprinted all over Germany and very favorably commented upon.

FIRST ENGLISH RULER TO VISIT LONDONDERRY

King Edward Gets Royal Welcome—Women Pay Tribute to Queen Alexandra.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDONDERRY, IRELAND, July 28.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra were accorded a great reception on their arrival here today. Large crowds from the surrounding districts assembled to greet the first English sovereign who has ever visited Londonderry. Their majesties were met at the railroad station by the mayor and corporation.

The usual number of addresses were presented, replying to which the king expressed his pleasure at the references to the spirit of good feeling and harmony pervading all classes in Ireland, adding that if his visit helped to extend and consolidate this feeling he would be richly rewarded.

Their majesties lunched at the Guild hall and attended a variety of functions. Among the pleasant incidents was the presentation of a special address to the queen from the women of Londonderry.

After the king had laid the foundation of Brook park, their majesties left Londonderry for Buncrana where they embarked on the royal yacht Victoria and Albert for a cruise along the coast.

LONDON, July 28.—According to telegrams received here from Cork a special police force has been appointed there to watch night and day in order to prevent the destruction of decorations by those who are opposed to the visit of King Edward and Queen Alexandra to Cork. The decorations along the route to be followed by the royal procession were found in several instances to have been pulled down and otherwise damaged.

CABLE BRIEFS.

COBURG.—Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria left here for Munich, whence he will proceed to visit his estate in Hungary.

SALONICA.—Dispatches received here say that 18 Bulgarian officers have left Sofia for Salonica, for the purpose of renewing the dynamite outrages.

PARIS.—The engagement of Minister of Marine Pelletan to Mlle. De Niese, a teacher in a Paris school, is announced. It is stated that the marriage will take place at the end of August.

LIMA, PERU.—President Romana opened the new Peruvian congress amid a great demonstration from the populace. In connection with the opening of congress, the anniversary of the independence of the republic, which was declared July 28, 1821, was celebrated.

SCHWAB GETS LICENSE TO RUN AN AUTOMOBILE

His Chauffeur Secures Permit in Philadelphia After Considerable Delay.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, July 28.—An application was made to Chief Lukens of the bureau of steam engines and boilers this afternoon by Julien E. Bloch of No. 138 Third avenue, New York, chauffeur for Charles M. Schwab, for a license to operate an automobile on the highways of this city. The application was favorably acted upon.

A correspondence between W. E. Corey and Chief Lukens relative to the methods and legal requirements of obtaining an automobile license has been in progress for about 10 days. In one communication Chief Lukens informed Mr. Corey that it would be necessary for the applicant to call at the office and sign papers, but this brought the response that Mr. Schwab had no intention of operating the machine personally, but would have a chauffeur for that purpose. In order to comply with this regulation, Mr. Bloch called at the office today and signed the necessary documents, whereby he assumes responsibility for operating Mr. Schwab's automobiles.

CHESTER D. POTTER.

BOY RETRACTS CHARGE MADE AGAINST PARENTS

CHICAGO, July 28.—(Special.)—Julius Wiltrax, the young boy who created a sensation by declaring to the coroner's jury that his mother and father murdered Paul Paszkowski, and on whose testimony the parents are now being tried, has retracted all he said then, and today on the stand admitted that his former testimony was absolutely false, and that he really knew nothing of the murder and believed his father and mother were innocent. He says that the police frightened him into denouncing his parents as the guilty ones. His whole story, he says, was a fabrication.

LABOR LEADERS ARE TO BE SUED

Aggressive Movement Started by Employers of Labor in Chicago.

ALLEGE VIOLENT UTTERANCES

Reports of Detectives Who Attended Meetings to Be Used Against Those Conducting Strikes—Non-Union Men Armed.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, ILL., July 28.—Claiming to speak as the representative of the Chicago Employes' association, Assistant Secretary Thomas B. O'Connell of that body today declared that criminal prosecution would be begun against members and officers of the Chicago Federation of Labor for alleged violent utterances made at the meeting last Sunday against Judge Jesse Holdom of the superior court.

"How do you know Judge Holdom and the court were denounced?" O'Connell was asked.

"Our detectives reported to us," he declared. "We had our detectives in that meeting, and we have them in all meetings of labor unions."

It is believed that the criminal prosecution program is being urged and backed by the Anti-Boycott association, which is now represented in Chicago by Attorney Davenport of Bridgeport, Conn. Information is to be made before Judge Holdom, according to Secretary O'Connell, in the shape of affidavits setting forth the manner and terms of the indignities said to have been hurled at the court. The defendants will then be hauled into court upon the charge of criminal contempt.

"I believe that information of that nature should be laid before Judge Holdom and that the men who uttered such violent denunciations should be held for contempt," said Attorney A. C. Allen of the Kellogg company. "We have taken no steps in that direction, however. I have been astonished at the reported words of some of the labor leaders in that meeting of Sunday. I was astounded to learn that men had stood up in an open meeting and uttered the most violent abuses against the court and the authorities."

It was reported today that the Kellogg company, in anticipation of any assault that might be made on its non-union men, has hired a hundred special policemen, who are always in the plant in the guise of workmen. All persons entering the big factory are closely examined as to their business and a semi-martial air surrounds the building.

MEETING OPPOSITION.

Reorganization Committee of Malting Company May Tender Resigation.

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—The reorganization committee of the American Malting Company will probably meet this week to discuss whether or not it is advisable to continue its efforts to effect a reorganization of the company's affairs. The committee has made two attempts to get the security holders of the company to give their assent to a plan which the committee regarded as being equitable to all concerned.

The first plan promulgated met with opposition. This was amended with a view wto satisfying those who objected to some of the provisions. This amended plan has not up to this time met with the approval of many bond and stockholders, and it cannot be carried out unless there is a change in the attitude of the opposing interests.

New Oil Company Chartered.

The Ohio River Oil and Gas Company has been chartered under the laws of New Jersey with a capitalization of $1,000,000 by Pittsburgh operators, J. D. Miller is president of the company. It is proposed to develop oil and gas properties in central West Virginia and Kentucky.

Some Show of Resistance.

OAKLAND BURGLARS MAY HAVE BEEN CAPTURED

The Police Arrest Two Negro Brothers and Believe They Have the Right Men.

After terrorizing the Oakland district by midnight plundering, according to the Oakland police, Harry and Robert Walker, negro brothers, were arrested yesterday afternoon in their rooms over the Kiel stables at No. 4010 Forbes street. Goods of all descriptions were found, some of which were later identified by persons who have been robbed within the past month.

Inspector Bailey feels confident that he has the men who have been daring enough to intimidate the entire neighborhood and even enter places next door to the Oakland police station. The negroes protest their innocence. Harry Walker, is coachman for J. E. Barnes of the Iroquis apartments. His brother was without work. They came here over a year ago from Harrisburg, Va.

The night of July 10 they are supposed to have robbed the cigar store of E. S. Edwards, No. 3803 Forbes street. The proprietor last night pointed out as articles taken from his place two coins, keys, checks, etc. Last Friday night the same men, apparently, robbed the Oakland market of sundry trifling things, including two trading stamp books, and the wagon shop of John B. Kummer, No. 4000 Forbes street, taking from the latter a fountain pen, rubber stamps, keys and such articles. Six weeks ago, the police believe, they entered the house of A. B. Sayer, stable boss at No. 4002 Forbes street.

Inspector Bailey has in his possession a rubber blanket, a guitar, a plane, card cases, one revolver, opera glasses, six gold rings, hinges and other articles, all of which the brothers are supposed to have stolen.

Ready to Entertain Mr. Carnegie.

PAUL SMITHS, N. Y., July 28.—(Special.)—The new camp of Mrs. Thomas T. Carnegie on Raquette Lake, has been opened by Mrs. Carnegie, who will entertain Andrew Carnegie and his family there in August.

SHE WANTS A LICENSE TO WHISTLE ON STREET

Cleveland Man's Wife Makes a Peculiar Request of City Officials.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLEVELAND, O., July 28.—"Are you the man who gives out licenses?" inquired a young woman of License Clerk Mulholland in the office of the city clerk this morning. The clerk replied in the affirmative.

"Well, I want to get a license that will permit my old man to whistle," said the woman. Mr. Mulholland looked aghast at the woman. "To w—— w—— what?" He demanded. "To whistle," she answered shortly. "Something wrong here," muttered Mulholland. Then looking at the young girl who accompanied the woman, he asked her why the woman wanted a license. He soon learned.

The woman was Mrs. Walter Jablonski of 46 University street. Her husband owns a bakery and drives his own wagon. He was driving on Literary street this morning when a policeman stopped him and told him he would have to stop whistling. That was his method of notifying his customers of his presence in the neighborhood. According to Mrs. Jablonski, the policeman told the baker that he could whistle providing he obtained a license.

ACTRESS WAS WILLING TO PAY TAX ON DIAMONDS

CHICAGO, July 28.—(Special.)—The corypheus of "Babe in Toyland" descended on the board of review today in hansoms and automobiles and made Cook county $9,900 richer in the full valuation of its personal property. Miss Grace Field of the Plaza hotel was the only Toyland victim. The others evaded taxation by pleading non-residence or no property. Miss Field gamely admitted that her jewels, heirlooms, all of them were worth $9,900, and she never winced when Reviewer Meachem entered the figures and told her how much it would cost her.

TWO KILLED IN FIGHT AND ONE FATALLY HURT

Many Shots Exchanged During a Drunken Quarrel in Wyoming.

GILLETTE, WYO., July 28.—In a drunken quarrel among a number of Italians at Felix, six miles west of Gillette, two men were killed and another so badly wounded that he will probably die.

Joe Datri and Dominick Eggie got into an altercation and Datri struck Eggie over the head with a bottle, inflicting a severe scalp wound. Eggie stabbed Datri three times, inflicting fatal wounds.

Frank Bellagalla and Nick Eggie, a brother of Dominick, then entered the fight, taking opposite sides. Bellagalla shot and instantly killed Nick Eggie. Dominick Eggie and Bellagalla then exchanged several shots, the latter being killed and the former badly wounded.

BUILDING OF A GREAT CITY

Consular Report Tells of an Unique Enterprise Near Port Arthur.

HAS AN UNLIMITED FUTURE

Is Under Direction of the Russian Government and Embraces One of the Best Harbors in the World—Some Facts About its Magic Growth.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 28.

"The Building of Dalny" is the subject of a special article by Commercial Agent M. M. Langhorn, issued today by the department of commerce and labor as an advance sheet of the consular reports. Mr. Langhorn tells the story of the unique enterprise displayed by the Russian government in building a great commercial city of the eastern shore of the Liaotung peninsula, about 20 miles from Port Arthur and within the territory leased by the Chinese government to Russia on March 27.

Dalny is believed by Mr. Langhorn to have an unlimited future, since the Russian lease includes a harbor that is being converted into one of the best in the world. The city is the southern terminus of the Chinese Eastern railway and is the headquarters of the company.

From 1899 to the beginning of 1902 the entire population of Dalny was composed of the employes and workmen of the railway company and the functions of the government were performed by a police justice. In 1902, owing to the growth of the city, V. Sakharof, formerly chief engineer of the port, was appointed governor. The population of Dalny on January 1, 1903, was 41,260.

One of the features giving solidity to the industrial future of Dalny is the fact that it manufactures nearly everything in the way of materials used in building. For instance, it has a cast iron foundry, producing 150 tons a month, and city workshops which make and repair tools, tram cars and other implements used in the construction of the city. A concrete block factory makes the cement blocks used for the foundations of the piers and sea walls; brickyards and limekilns produce the greater part of such materials used in the city, and a small gas works supplies the gas buoys in the harbor.

The work on the large drydock is progressing rapidly. The cofferdam is built and the excavation well under way.

Trains are now in operation from St. Petersburg and Moscow to Dalny. In addition to the trans-Siberian express, which leaves Dalny twice each week, there is the "train de luxe," which is solidly vestibuled. The fare to St. Petersburg first-class is $187 for a distance of 5,375 miles and a journey of 13½ days. The total trade of Dalny for the year 1902, according to the statistics of the Chinese Eastern Railway Company was: Imports by steamer, $2,480,305; by rail, $9,937,268.

WANT NO MORE FUSION.

Reunited Populist Factions Oppose Affiliation With Any Other Party.

DENVER, July 28.—Amalgamation into one party was today effected by the two factions of the Peoples party in national conference. The address reported by the committee on resolutions and adopted declared that the united Peoples party should declare itself opposed to affiliation with either the Democratic or Republican parties and in favor of national political action.

The address also declares for "unyielding adherence to the demands for a money, whether stamped on gold, silver or paper, to be coined and issued exclusively by the government and made a full legal tender for all debts, both public and private; a system of transportation and the transmission of intelligence, owned by the public and operated by the government at the cost of service; land for use rather than for speculation, and abolition of alien ownership of land; American ships for American foreign commerce, without a cent of subsidy."

Knox in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, July 28.—(Special.)—Attorney General Knox spent several hours in Philadelphia yesterday. He came from Washington in the morning, had luncheon with some friends in the afternoon and went west last evening. He came here on personal business.

KNOWS MI-O-NA WILL DO GOOD

Schilling Bros. Co. Have Such Faith in This Remarkable Flesh-Forming Food That They Sell It Under Guarantee.

It is an unusual thing for a druggist to sell a medicine under a guarantee to refund the money if it does not give satisfaction, yet this is the way Schilling Bros. Co., whose word is as good as their bond, are selling Mi-o-na, the remarkable flesh-forming food and cure for dyspepsia.

Never before have they had so large a number of customers tell them that a medicine has cured, as since they began selling Mi-o-na.

There is no longer any need of anyone's suffering or making their friends suffer because of stomach trouble or distressing thinness.

Mi-o-na can be relied upon to regulate and strengthen the digestive organs and to build up good, solid, beautiful flesh. Schilling Bros. Co. take all the risk by selling this preparation under a guarantee to return the money, if it does not give satisfaction. They will sign an agreement to this effect, and take your word as to whether Mi-o-na cures or not.

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Now is the best time in the whole year for the enjoyment of good health. Use Mi-o-na and you will soon be in such perfect condition that you can enjoy every minute.

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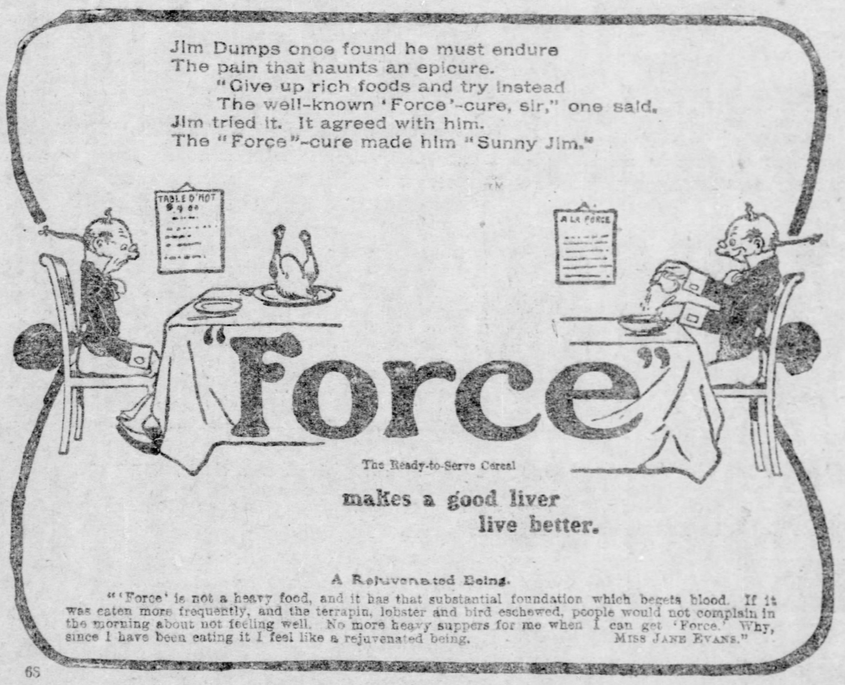
The Largest Selling Brand of Cigars in the World

The Band is the Smoker's Protection

Jim Dumps once found he must endure
The pain that haunts an epicure.
"Give up rich foods and try instead
The well-known 'Force'-cure, sir," one said.
Jim tried it. It agreed with him.
The "Force"-cure made him "Sunny Jim."



The Ready-to-Serve Cereal

makes a good liver live better.

A Rejuvenated Being.

"'Force' is not a heavy food, and it has that substantial foundation which begets blood. If it was eaten more frequently, and the terrapin, lobster and bird eschewed, people would not complain in the morning about not feeling well. No more heavy suppers for me when I can get 'Force.' Why, since I have been eating it I feel like a rejuvenated being. MISS JANE EVANS."

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DON'T GET IN A SWEAT

Perspiration—"sweat" is what the Bible and we common people call it—is a way nature has of driving out of the body refuse that has no business there. We sweat more in summer, because, in the overheated bowels, undigested food ferments more quickly than in winter and produces irritating acids and gases. The bowels, overworked, try to relieve themselves by violent convulsions, causing terrible gripes and colics, and diarrhoeal discharges so acid as to make you sore, and leaving the intestines weak and worn out. Nature assists body-cleaning by sending the filth out through the pores of the skin. It is not safe to stop perspiring altogether but most of the impure matter should be sent out by natural movements of the bowels, and the offensive, ill-smelling, linen-staining sweat done away with. Keep your bowels strong all summer with the pleasant, candy cathartic CASCARETS, that clean the system and don't allow the excrement to be sweated out through the pores. Take a tablet every night, before going to bed. They work while you sleep and make you feel fine and cool all day.

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Wednesday, 29 July, 1903

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A Sale of Importance

Suits that please at the first glance and close inspection brings to light no hidden tales of cheapness.

WHITE LAWNS
Prices Reduced after this manner—12.00 suits reduced to 9.50. 9.00 suits reduced to 7.00. 8.50 suits reduced to 6.50 and 7.00. 5.50 suits reduced to 4.50. 5.00 suits reduced to 4.00

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Prices Reduced and our 6.00 black and white lawn cut from its original special price to 5.00

MERCERIZED
Prices Reduced to the clearing point in the suits of mercerized materials—9.50 mercerized suits cut to 7.00 and the 7.50 ones to 6.50. A 7.00 striped mercerized on sale at 5.25

AND OTHERS
Prices Reduced in other lines among them a White Madras Shirtwaist Suit selling right along for 7.50 is reduced to 5.00 and a 6.00 Cheviot to 4.75

WAISTS

Wash Waists galore and a mark-down in midseason that will set the wise women who only need one or two buying three or four.

White Stars
Best quality Scotch Madras Star Make of Waists, button in back, sizes 32 to 38.
Reduced from 3.00 and 3.50 to 2.00

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A beauty in White Oxford Cloth but the sizes are restricted to 40, 42 and 44.
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SOLDIERS TOOK TOWN BY STORM

Tremendous Ovation Tendered Second Brigade by Somerset Citizens.

PARADED ABOUT THE TOWN

Several Soldiers Overcome by Heat During the March—Heavy Day's Work Accomplished by the Guardsmen. News of the Regiments.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CAMP WILLIAM M'KINLEY, July 28.—If the waving of flags, the shooting of firecrackers, the burning of red fire and the cheering that greeted the practice march of the second brigade of the National Guard of Pennsylvania through the streets of Somerset this afternoon, can be taken as an indication of the sentiment of the town, there is no place in the state where her guards are more welcome. The parade through town was a continuous ovation.

The line of march was so arranged that it covered a number of the principal streets and everywhere were the crowds and the enthusiastic. Gen. John A. Wiley and his staff rode at the head of the brigade with the various regiments following in their seniority rank. To the general in particular an ovation was given. He was kept saluting to right and left.

One place of interest not on the line of march was the home of Abner McKinley, brother of the late president. The house was not on the streets traversed, but its occupants were out to see the procession.

Several men were overcome by the heat during the march. A. D. White of company D, the Altoona company of the Fifth regiment, was one of those. None of the cases is considered serious. The hard day's work previous to the march had rendered the men tired before the parade started. The troops came in by the Turkey-foot road and after a circle through the principal highways left town by the main street.

Cheers for the Tenth.

The Tenth again was shown to be the favorite here, for when Col. Barnett appeared it was a signal for tumultous applause from every point on the line of march. The Fourteenth regiment band scored a big hit by starting "Hiawatha" just as the head of the regiment swung around the street corner toward the public square. The Eighteenth, the battery, the Sixteenth, the Fifth, and the Sheridan Troop also were welcomed generously.

"General Wiley can retain the command of the Second brigade without opposition if he wishes to be reappointed when his commission expires," is the statement made this afternoon by one in a position to know the exact situation. The publication this morning of a report that Col. Willis J. Hulings will be appointed to General Wiley's present position led to little more than a smile where it was read. Col. Hulings, however, refused to let the report pass. He made a special call upon General Wiley at the latter's headquarters, and told him that so far as he was concerned there is absolutely no truth in the published statements.

"You gave me my first commission," he said to General Wiley, "and so long as you wish to have the command of the brigade there will be no plans laid by me except to gratify your wish."

General Wiley's commission does not expire until November 29. In speaking of the matter a certain authority said today, "The whole appointing power lies in the governor's hands. It is probable that he has not given the subject a moment's thought. There has been no consideration of it at all by other officers of the guard that is sure. General Wiley has the right to ask for a reappointment. There is no reason to believe other than that the general will be continued in his command and that Col. Hulings will give him as always, loyal support."

Governor Makes a Tour.

Governor Pennypacker has had a very busy day here. A ride out in the country was the first event of the forenoon. With the governor went Mrs. Pennypacker, Miss Pennypacker, Col. Pratt and Col. Ripple, Mrs. Stewart, Col. Richardson, Major Wolver, and Maj. Worman. In the afternoon a still longer drive was taken, the governor going to visit ex-Senator N. D. Critchfield at his home at Jennerys Cross Roads 12 miles from Somerset. In the party with the governor were George R. Scull, president of the Somerset Trust Company; P. A. Johns, Fred W. Biesecker, all of Somerset, and Col. Moody and Col. Reid of the governor's staff.

This evening there was a dinner party at division headquarters, the hosts being the governor and Col. Brown. The guests were the ladies of the Sixteenth and Eighteenth regiments, Mrs. Willis J. Hulings and Miss Hulings, and Miss Emma Hulings; Mrs. P. C. Beers, Mrs. R. Bruce Gamble, Miss Helen Cooper, Mrs. Alexander Henderson and Mrs. Perrine. The officers of both the line and staff of the Sixteenth paid their respects to the commander-in-chief later in the evening.

The preparations for the inspections tomorrow are all complete. Starting at 7 a. m. the governor will pass through every camp and see personally every officer and man under inspection.

One General Jack Frost, was an unexpected visitor at the division headquarters last night. He came without an invitation and there was no welcome, for the covertets provided for Camp William McKinley had not been forwarded with a thought of frosts. The entire camp shivered for several hours and this morning a heavy coating of gray was visible on the canvas. A warm sun soon dispelled that evidence, however, and today has been, as have all days so far, fair and in all respects ideal for the work.

Raid by the Provost Guard.

The provost guard has made friends with the people of Somerset by work last night. A crowd of about a dozen young bloods from the country came to town to paint it a vivid scarlet. They opened with a revolver salute down near the railroad station. The rough crowd was more numerous, as the police department and the aid of Maj. Reynolds, provost marshall, was requested. The guard was ordered to the front, and shortly several meeker and wiser youths graced the interior of the lock calaboose. The next time Somerset is painted it will be when the Second brigade is not in town.

The county and town officials paid a formal visit to the governor's headquarters this afternoon, about a dozen carriages being occupied by the party. The Rev. J. P. W. Chester of Philadelphia, who is visiting here, was sworn in as chaplain of the visitors and accompanied them. They found the governor out, as he had started on his visit to ex-Senator Critchfield. They paid their respects to Adjutant General Stewart and Gen. Miller and will return to see the governor later. They also visited Gen. Wiley at brigade headquarters.

Col. A. J. Logan, commissary general, is originating a number of ideas in that department, which he will suggest to Adjutant General Miller in due course. One is to provide a uniform system of company mess regulation. The present system, where a great deal is put up to the discretion of each cook, entails in many cases waste, and the neatness of the company messes is not always up to the standard. The health of the soldiers can be benefitted in this improvement, Col. Logan thinks. There is also a move on hand to devise a better system of transporting company mess supplies and of providing an emergency ration for sudden marching orders.

Col. Brown, conducting the inspection of books and papers of the brigade, completed his task today with his visits to the Eighteenth, Fifth and Sixteenth regiments. "There has been a remarkable improvement in the keeping of the records," he said. "The files supplied by the state have greatly aided in this matter. Accuracy is now the rule."

A Day of Hard Work.

In most of the regiments today has been a hard one, and the practice march through town in the evening sent most of the men back to their quarters well satisfied to do nothing but sleep. Battery B began its work at 5:30 a. m., and until nearly 9 o'clock drilled in the school of the battery mounted. It was admitted the most perfect drill the battery has ever given so early in camp. Lieut. Ryall was officer of the day.

The Eighteenth was out for three and one-half hours in the morning in both close and extended order, with advance and rear guard drills. The Fourteenth has put in its hardest day in camp. Work began with a regimental drill of three hours on the parade grounds. Back to camp, a march of half a mile took them to dinner only to be ordered out at 2:30 p. m. for company and battalion drills. A summary court was held in the Fourteenth today, Maj. Robert M. Ewing conducting it. The cases of two of the enlisted men who failed to report with the regiment and were put under arrest by a detail sent back to Pittsburgh on Saturday, were considered. One man, who on his return protended to be a sick man and acted sulkily, was fined his entire camp pay and ordered confined to his quarters during camp. The other, whose excuse was more reasonable, was fined two days' pay. A third case was that of deserting of post by a sentinel. The man was fined two days' pay and sentenced to two days of labor in quarters.

Orders for Breaking of Camp.

The Sixteenth regiment gave a morning battalion drill on the parade ground opposite their camp. In the afternoon there was a late mount drill, and a regimental drill followed.

Maj. John Reed, late of the Sixteenth Pennsylvania volunteers, arrived in camp this afternoon as a visitor. In the Fifth regiment there was a morning battalion drill, followed by a regimental drill in front of brigade headquarters. In the afternoon there were advance and rear guard drills.

Adjutant General Thomas J. Stewart, who is commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, said this afternoon that the plans are now complete for the department of Pennsylvania's trip to the G. A. R. encampment at San Francisco the coming month. The headquarters of the department on the trip will be in a special train to leave Philadelphia on the evening of August 8, reaching Pittsburgh on the morning of August 9, over the Pennsylvania.

The department has tendered Commander Stewart the compliments of acting as his escort on the trip. He has accepted the tender and will be the guest of the department on the journey. Their train will arrive at San Francisco on Saturday, August 15, the encampment opening the following Monday.

It has been ordered that the Fifth and Sixteenth regiments and Battery B break camp Friday morning, the rest of the commands to follow Saturday morning.

WILLIAM L. ROS.

WITH THE BOYS IN CAMP M'KINLEY

Battery B Boys Preparing to Go Out to Drill.

VISITORS DISAPPOINTED BY GOVERNOR'S ABSENCE

SOMERSET, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—The talk of the town and county tonight is the visit of Gov. Pennypacker today to Senator Critchfield's farm. It is claimed that the governor was kidnaped by the stalwart faction when the insurgents had an engagement with him. Accompanied by George R. Scull, president of the Somerset Trust Company, and others, Governor Pennypacker was visiting the Critchfield farm when 12 carriage loads of men called to pay their respects to the governor, supposing him to be in camp. They were greatly disappointed, as they supposed the governor knew they were coming.

FOG CAUSES WRECK ON P. & L. E. ROAD

Rear-End Collision of Coal Trains—Brakemen Crushed to Death—Others Jumped.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

MONONGAHELA, PA., July 28.—A rear-end collision on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, half a mile south, at 4 o'clock this morning, resulting in the death of one man, the destruction of a locomotive, caboose, five coal cars and the derailing of four others. W. F. Maurer, brakeman on the rear train, was frightfully mangled and killed instantly.

Coal train No. 271, in charge of Conductor Harry Van Kirk, was running from Glassport to Fayette City, with 11 cars loaded with slag. There was a dense fog and coal train No. 272, standing on the main track, was not seen until the other train was almost on it. Engineer John Kenney, Fireman Charles Davis and Conductor Harry M. VanKirk, all of whom were in the engine cab of the running train, and jumped in time to save their lives, the engineer first reversing his engine and applying the emergency brake.

Brakeman Maurer, who is supposed to have been standing on the first car of his train, was found in the wreckage dead, his head crushed. No one was in the caboose of the front train. Engineer John Jessip was thrown out of his cab by the shock, but not seriously hurt. The dead brakeman was 25 years old and boarded at Glassport. His home was in Sunbury. The officials are reticent as to the cause of the wreck and the absence of a flagman is not explained.

Expulsions Continue in Finland.

BERLIN, July 28.—A letter received from Finland saying that the expulsions have been resumed, and that the government has ordered the Rev. Magnus Rocendal, the well-known writer, speaker and principal of the lyceum at Uleaborg, to leave the country, after depriving him of his position.

Excursion to Cumberland, Sunday, August 2—$2.00 Round Trip.

Special train leaves Baltimore & Ohio station, corner Smithfield and Water streets, Pittsburgh, 7 a. m.

EVERYBODY IS OUT FOR THE FUN

Knights of Columbus Delegates Having Hilarious Time at Put-in-Bay.

ARE BUSY EVERY MINUTE

Well-Known Pittsburghers Assist in the Entertainment of the Guests from Other Cities—List of the Smoky City Delegates.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)
[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PUT-IN-BAY, O., July 28.—The Knights of Columbus have captured the island. What do you think of it? The Dunlevy family is doing vaudeville stunts at Put-In-Bay, and with that John Meighan, chairman of the whole outfit recites "The Old Man and Jim," and then James Dunlevy sings, "Come Down, Mike Dawns, Come Down." That's a sample of the hilarity that prevails this week on the island that nearly 90 years ago was the refuge of the United States naval fleet under Commodore Perry.

In addition to the celebrated aforementioned stars is a quartet from Pittsburgh sailing under the nomdeplume of Joe Vagel, Martin Dixon, Edward Gearing and Marion Murphy, calling themselves "The K. of C. Quartet." They appeared but when they got through nobody else did, for several minutes. When the "Indians" out in front became quiet, Miss Myra McDonald gave a happy rendition of "Family Jars," and then for the windup, Mr. J. Garlach of New York council, acted natural and did things.

The program for tomorrow and all other days and nights of this week are but variations of this program, with baseball, between the Dutch and Irish, bathing, tennis, fishing and about 400 other things that one may do.

Plenty of Fun for All.

For the amusement of the 1,600 Knights of Columbus Commodore John J. Vetter has confiscated and is now using the steamship "Richard B." Commodore Vetter invites everybody to accept his hospitality, anyone may accept with impunity, or a handgrenade for the boat only runs between piers. To give you an idea of the way this Pittsburgh crowd runs things, they have established a bulletin board midway in the sweep of sea 100 feet of Colonnaide reading thus:

NOTICE.

Only persons wearing official badges admitted to these entertainments.

Euchre in the arcade at 2 p. m. today.

Vaudeville 8:15. Euchre and get-happy dance at 10 p. m. tonight.

Vetter's boat leaves at 3 today.

And after all has been said the occasion is enjoyable without a flaw. It brings together in friendship, representative citizens of the king steel city and those of other cities. And the beautiful dispensation of hospitality of the entertaining societies is magnificent.

The Pittsburgh Guests.

Following are among those in the Pittsburgh delegation:

R. M. Phelan, W. J. Anglin, Edward Boyers and wife, John Kelly, Joseph McDermiott, Miss Isabel Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rahn, Miss Bruner, Nina Barr, Hilda Barr, Miss Mabel Kelly, Ed Goehring, Moore Kelley, W. J. Dunlap and wife, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. McClelland, Walter D. McClelland, W. H. Markey, Miss Bessie Markey, Rev. T. J. Conlin, John J. Vetter, Mrs. John J. Vetter, D. J. Cullinan, Mrs. D. J. Cullinan, Miss Mary Cullinan, Miss Katie Cullinan, George H. Bennett, Miss Marie Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. William Loeffler, Mr. and Mrs. James P. Dunlevey, Arthur Townly, Miss Marie Dunlevey, T. J. Moloney, John F. McLoughlin, Lillian McDonough, Joseph F. O'Neill, John Meighan, Thomas Meighan, May Meighan, Margaret Meighan, William Victory and wife, Mary Butler, Margaret Carmody, J. M. Doyle and wife, E. F. Carroll, Edward Gilet, Belle Dunlevy, Alice Dunlevy, Henry Lowe, Thomas Jennings, Gertrude Callaghan, Catherine Cohen, John A. Foley, Mrs. John A. Foley, John Cavenaugh, Mrs. John Cavenaugh, John Donnelly, Margaret Gardner, Alfred Schlicker, Miss Schlicker, M. J. Slattery and wife, Adelia Friday, Hilda Friday, May Vogel, Rev. Thomas W. Rounstell, Miss Diebold, Grace Dashbach, Mary Dashbach, Peter Haberman, May Haberman, John A. Martin, Mrs. John A. Martin, T. J. Kerin, Mrs. T. L. Kerin, Raymond Franz, Thomas Welsh, Albert Link, William J. Kirk and wife, Joseph G. Vogel and wife, Dr. Terheyden, Thomas F. Walsh, Joseph Lawler, Thomas Weiss, Phil Caulfield, Miss Caulfield, John Gittinan, Catherine Gittinan, John Dowling, Mrs. John Dowling, Dr. J. L. Sagerson, J. E. McDonald, Annie McDonald, Mary McDonald.

W. B. LAYTON.

SHEARING OF THE LAMBS GOOD MEDICINE FOR THEM

Russell Sage Says Its Little Wonder So Many Dabblers in Stock Get Caught.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, July 28.—Russell Sage had the following to say today about the stock market:

"The reaction is at hand, and the market is bound to be firmer and stronger. The break in the market, with the failures, has been a good check to promiscuous speculation, and will impart a healthier tone to trading. Such breaks and failures in the market serve as an example to the unthinking who load themselves to the brim with securities not of the best. When the crash comes they are taught a lesson, and the money lenders and outsiders cannot fail to profit by the example.

"Those people who boost up worthless propositions until they go out of sight, interest me but little. They cannot get a cent from me. Those who have money at call for such people get a cheating eventually. I the medicine is good for them. Some people are so foolish. They hang on to some venture, feeling that it is a doubtful proposition, but thinking that in some way Wall street can manage to make something out of nothing. An example is needed every once in a while to open their eyes and show them that they are on the wrong track."

FRANK A. PARKER.

HOT-AIR BABIES.

Infant Incubator to Be One of the Attractions at the Exposition.

An interesting attraction at the new exposition will be the infant incubator. At the Pan-American the incubator was a star feature, and received the patronage of more people than any other attraction at that exposition.

Thanks to this latter day wonder, aided by physicians and trained nurses, infants whose lives are despaired of on arrival, are now returned to their parents in as healthy a condition as children born under more favorable circumstances. A full complement of physicians and competent nurses will be in attendance on the subjects under treatment at the new exposition.

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MRS. YOUNG'S PARENTS LEARN OF THE TRAGEDY

Young Woman Murdered at Washington, Pa., Was Formerly Miss Grace Dunlap.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

TECUMPSEH, NEB., July 28.—News has just reached here of the final tragedy ending the life of Mrs. A. B. Young, formerly Miss Grace Dunlap, daughter of W. L. Dunlap of this city, who was murdered by her husband at Washington, Pa., on July 7, after which he committed suicide.

A. B. Young was pastor of the Presbyterian church at Edgemont, S. D., last year. Miss Dunlap was then teaching school in Edgemont where she first met Young. A courtship followed, but no formal announcement of an engagement was made.

On July 1, Miss Dunlap ostensibly left home for Lincoln, and this was the last heard of her until the news of her marriage and murder were received.

As near as can be learned she went to Pittsburgh, Pa., instead of to Lincoln. There she was joined by the Rev. Mr. Young, and it is supposed here, was married to him in Pittsburgh from whence they went to Washington, Pa., where their romance culminated in murder and suicide.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap, father and mother of the young woman, are heartbroken over the affair. Their grief is added to by the fact that their daughter's remains were buried in Pennsylvania without their being notified of her death. Young's father, who took charge of the bodies, was evidently in ignorance of the address of the parents of his son's wife.

HOMESTEAD RACE WAR.

Italians and Negroes Clash and Several Are Injured.

A race war between negro and Italian families living in Seventeenth avenue, Homestead, developed into a fierce riot yesterday morning and for a time it looked as though murder would be committed.

The trouble yesterday started in a fight between the children of the warring factions. The parents took sides and knives and clubs were freely used, and several of the contestants are suffering from broken heads. The police captured Thomas Phila and James Tomsilla, Italians, and George Lewis and Blanche Letts, negroes.

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B. & O. RAILROAD AWARDS CONTRACT FOR TERMINALS

Improvements at Washington to Cost More Than Two Million Dollars.

BALTIMORE, July 28.—The Baltimore & Ohio has let the contract for the Washington terminal improvement to McMullen and McDermott, and the Hoffman Engineering and Constructing Company of Philadelphia, at their bid of over $2,000,000. Under the agreement the B. & O. is to construct the connections and stone viaduct from Monticello, on the Washington branch, to the station at Massachusetts avenue. The station is to be built under the direction of Architect Burnham of Chicago, and the Capital Hill tunnel and southern connection by the Pennsylvania railroad.

The stone viaduct will have ten tracks from New York avenue to the station, and the contract includes this as well as freight terminals, roundhouses, etc., needed by the B. & O. It will require two years to complete the work.

Last Opportunity to See Soldiers in Camp at Somerset Thursday, July 30th; Governor's Day.

Special train will leave Baltimore & Ohio station, corner Smithfield and Water streets, Pittsburgh, 8:10 a. m. Fare, $3.50 round trip.

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Occupying Its New Building.

The United States National bank is now occupying the new building which it has erected at No. 503 Market street, one door from Fifth avenue.

The big sale at Laird's begins Thursday morning at Both Stores.

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The low rates which the Rock Island offers, June 1 to Sept. 30, constitute your opportunity. Full information on request.

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A SPECIAL lot just purchased at 1-3 under their real value—made of fine white lawn, full lace yoke with narrow ribbon drawn through, extra full bishop sleeves—skirt cut full, with 3 rows of insertion around bottom at the head of a lace edge ruffle, all sizes 4 to 14 years, some dresses worth fully $4.50, unrestricted choice for 1.90

Girls' wash dresses

CHOICE from 12 different lines in which the sizes are slightly broken—1 and 2-piece effects in Russian blouse, cadet, sailor or military suits, many having emblems on sleeves and shield—also in the plain dress styles—made of extra quality ginghams, chambrays, French percales, etc., trimmed with embroideries, laces and braids, sizes 4 to 14—reduced from $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00 to 95c and 39c

Women's shirtwaist suits—we don't care what we lose on these garments—

IT isn't our policy to hang on till the very last minute for the sake of getting full profit. We stand a better chance of selling now, right in the midst of the summer season and we must adjust our stock. Not a penny's worth of merchandise designed for the hot days' business will be carried over into a succeeding season.

Women's shirtwaist suits—made of dimities, lawns, percales and madras, in blues, black, oxbloods, greens, tans and other colors—the waists are fashioned in various styles, trimmed with tucks, pleats, etc., gored skirts with flare—suits that originally sold for $2.50, reduced not a week since to $1.39, now go for 98c

Women's shirtwaist suits—made from fine lawns, white or colors, waists opened front or back, trimmed with embroideries, tucks, pleats, etc., skirts are generously made with deep flounce, either plain or trimmed to match waists— 1.98

Shirtwaist suits—slightly soiled, selected from our immense stock and repriced from $5, $6 and $7. They are made of madras, percale, lawn and dimity, in white and all colors—choice, 2.50

There's great hustling and bustling in our summer costume department. The salesladies are busy making price reductions, for quickstep time is the order and all pongee, taffeta and satin foulard silk shirtwaist suits are going out in long columns at

1/2 OFF the original marked prices

Our legitimate profit has been made and we're ready to sell what remains at actual cost or even at less. Catch the drift of the argument? We're prepared for the full flood of business, though, and every shopper will be as carefully attended and painstakingly satisfied as though the one sale were all that were to be made in the day. If you secure one or more of these suits you will be a permanently pleased patron.

A considerable quantity of women's shirtwaist suits made from excellent quality white imported linen and madras in desirable colors, plain tailor stitched and strapped styles, or fancy effects trimmed with Val. insertion, tucks, pleats, etc., formerly marked up to $13.98, choice, 5.98

Women's shirtwaist suits—formerly marked up to $14.98; made from corded and figured madras, in stripes, polka dots, rings and other patterns, together with a lot of suits made from percales, dimities and lawns, choice, 6.98

Women's shirtwaist suits—in polka dots or in stripes, also fine checks and plaids, in tailored effects, stitched and strapped, or trimmed with lace, pleats, tucks, etc.; skirts with full drop skirts, accordeon pleated—worth to $18, choice 8.75

Purchasing waists here and now means to save a third to a half

Our waist importations and gatherings from American makers were on a vast scale this year. It is not to be wondered at, then, that we've too many waists here and there throughout our stock. All season we have had more lovely waists than we could display properly—and some of the prettiest have tarried for this reason. Instead of making a profit, we're now willing to accept a loss on these waists.

Women's shirtwaists — made of colored mercerized batiste, hemstitched and tucked full front, plain or pleated back, stylish sleeves and stock collar—have been selling for 98c and $1.50, now reduced to only 75c

Women's shirtwaists — in oxford cheviot, mercerized madras, pure linen, pique or linen crash, white or colored, full pleated front, plain or pleated back, fashionable sleeves and stock collar, reduced from $1.98 and $2.98 to 1.00

Women's silk waists — made of cool summery China silk, black and white or black and white checks, full pleated front, pleated back, trimmed with large buttons, large puff sleeves, stock collar to match waist—reduced from $3.50 to 1.89

Women's shirtwaists — made of fine crepe de chine, French tucked, shirred or fagotting trimmed front, plain or trimmed back, large pouch sleeves, fancy stock collar, all colors, black included — $5 and $6 waists now reduced to 3.49

Women's taffeta silk waists—in all shades, tucked and pleated full front, tucked back, large puff sleeves, fancy stock collar—waists that have been selling for $4 and $5, all now reduced to only 2.49

Women's silk waists — in peau de sole or taffeta, all the delicate evening shades, including white, trimmed with tucks, lace medallions or fagotting, large pouch sleeves, stylish stock collar—$7.50 waists for 3.98

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NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Cincinnati	16—Pittsburgh 5
Chicago	9—St. Louis 2
Boston	5—New York 3
Philadelphia	15—Brooklyn 10

Desertion of Star Pitcher Leaves Pirates in Bad Shape

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Boston	3—New York 0
Philadelphia	4—Washington 3
Cleveland	10—St. Louis 7
Chicago	Ruhn. Detroit

DOHENY DESERTS PIRATES' RANKS

Big Left Hander Seems Mentally Affected and Starts for His Home in the East.

THE PLAYERS IN BAD SHAPE

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	56	28	.667	Brooklyn	40	40	.500
Chicago	53	30	.596	Boston	35	45	.438
New York	47	35	.573	St. Louis	33	53	.384
Cincinnati	44	42	.512	Philadelphia	27	57	.321

GAMES TODAY.

Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.
Boston at New York.
St. Louis at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, July 28.—Ed Doheny, one of the Pirates' mainstays in the pitching department, deserted the team today. He took the 2 o'clock Big Four train for his home in Andover, Mass. His conduct is unquestionably the result of some mental derangement.

Doheny has been acting strangely for some time. He has been laboring under the impression that detectives are constantly following him and he has frequently complained to Manager Fred Clarke about it. This morning he told Clarke that he could stand it no longer and that he was going to give the detectives the slip and go home. Clarke argued the point with him. Doheny confessed that he had been royally treated by the club and had no occasion to be disgruntled. After luncheon, Clarke and Doheny played a game of billiards. The pitcher said nothing more about what he proposed to do until the game was finished. Then he bid Clarke good-by and bade several of the other players on the team farewell. Clarke's efforts to hold him failed and he left on the train mentioned.

It is believed that the hot weather has upset Doheny's mind. He has been taking the best of care of himself and was one of the easiest men on the team to handle. Clarke said tonight that he was positive that Doheny was mentally affected, but he also gave the assurance that the pitcher could not rejoin the team. Doheny's leaving puts a serious dent into the champions' pitching staff and greatly lessens their chances to again win the flag.

REDS FINALLY WIN.

Batted Philippe Hard and Scored First Victory Over Pirates on Home Grounds.

CINCINNATI, O., July 28.—(Special.)—The Reds turned the tables on the Champions today and beat them as easily as they were defeated on the preceding day. It was quite a different looking aggregation which faced the Champions this afternoon. Kelley's men were full of snap and ginger today and they played one of their best games. Yesterday the Pirates seemed to outclass the locals, but today conditions were exactly the reverse.

It was the first game that the Reds have won from the Champions on local grounds this year. After the fourth inning the result was never in doubt. Phillippe had his troubles in the fourth, but after that he was at his best. Deacon Phillippe, on the other hand, had an off day and was given an unmerciful drubbing. It was revenge for that bitter defeat he inflicted on the Reds on opening day here in April. He was invincible that day, but very easy today. All the Reds helped themselves to base hits and, excepting the first inning, they scored in every one of the succeeding ones. From a local point of view it was naturally a very good game, and the crowd of 2,000 or more enjoyed the defeat of the Champions.

A double by Steinfeldt and two put-outs sent the first run over the plate in the second inning. The crowd was beginning to feel comfortable with this small lead when the Pirates broke loose in the third and made Hahn dizzy. Kruger got a double as a starter and then Phillippe drove the sphere into left for two bases, after Smith had fouled out. Kruger scoring. Beaumont was easy enough, but Sebring beat out a high bounder to Beckley and then Hans Wagner tore off one of his famous three-baggers, sending both men over the rubber. Hans was left when Bransfield grounded out. The Reds were not in a quitting humor, however, and Hahn's hit, Donlin's sharp single and when Wagner threw Beckley's grounder wild and Hahn came home.

In the fourth the locals took a good lead. Corcoran started by singling to Leach and was saved at second when Wagner muffed Ritchey's assist of Beckley's ground. Bergen and Hahn were pie for the Deacon, but Donlin was there with a pretty single, Corcoran scoring. Seymour followed with a double to left, which sent Kelley and Donlin home.

Two singles and a double gave them another brace of tallies in the fifth and three singles was good for one in the sixth. Doubles by Corcoran and Kelley added another in the seventh and in the eighth Cy. Seymour hit the ball into the bleachers in right field for a home run. The Champions got two in the ninth on singles by Leach, Kruger and Smith and Corcoran's fumble. The score:

Cincin'ti.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Pgh.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Donlin, l.	1	2	2	0	0	B'mont, m	0	1	1	0	0
S'mour, m	1	4	3	0	0	Hoffm'n, m	0	0	0	0	0
Dolan, r.	1	1	2	0	0	Sebring, r	0	1	2	0	0
Beckley, 1	1	1	8	0	0	Wagner, s	0	1	2	4	2
S'nfeldt, 3	1	1	0	1	0	B'nfield, 1	0	0	9	1	0
C'coran, s	1	3	3	1	2	Leach, 3	1	1	2	1	1
Kelley, 2	1	2	5	4	0	Ritchey, 2	1	2	1	5	0
Bergen, c	0	1	5	1	0	Kruger, l	1	1	0	0	0
Hahn, p	0	1	1	0	1	Smith, c	0	1	5	2	0
						Phillip'pe, p	1	1	1	1	0
						*Kennedy	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	16	27	8	1	Totals	5	9	24	14	3

* Batted for Phillippe in ninth.

Cincinnati	0	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	*	—10
Pittsburh	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	—5

Two-base hits—Kruger, Steinfeldt, Phillippe, Seymour, Corcoran, Kelley. Three-base hit—Wagner. Home run—Seymour. Stolen bases—Seymour, Dolan. Sacrifice hit—Corcoran. Double play—Kelley to Beckley. First on balls—By Hahn 1. Struck out—By Hahn 1, by Phillippe 5. Left on bases—Cincinnati 7, Pittsburgh 5. Time—1:45. Umpire—O'Day.

HITS ARE PLENTY.

Phillies Beat Brooklyn in Tenth by Slugging Ball.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 28.—Batting honors were evenly divided between Philadelphia and Brooklyn teams today, but the visitors bunched their hits when an extra inning was necessary and won the game, scoring five times on as many hits, and Dahlen's fumble of Wolverton's grounder. Duggleby relieved Mitchell in the eighth inning and Gleason was put out of the game in the sixth inning. Score:

Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Thomas, m	3	3	2	0	0	Strang, 3	1	3	1	3	1
Gleason, 2	2	2	2	1	2	Sheckard, l	2	2	2	1	0
H'lman, 2	0	1	0	2	0	Dobbs, m	2	3	1	1	0
W'rton, 1	3	2	0	2	1	Doyle, 2	1	2	3	4	0
Kiester, r	0	1	2	0	0	Dahlen, s	1	1	2	5	1
Barry, l	1	1	2	0	0	M'Cr'ry, r	0	1	1	0	1
D'glass, 3	1	1	0	1	3	Flood, 2	0	2	1	1	3
H'swilt, s	3	3	5	6	0	Jordan, c	2	0	2	3	0
Doolin, c	1	2	4	3	0	J'Kitrick, 1	2	2	8	1	0
Mit'ell, p	1	0	1	0	0	Garvin, p	0	0	0	2	0
D'gleby, p	1	1	0	0	0	*Gessler	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	15	15	30	16	6	Totals	10	15	30	16	6

* Batted for Garvin in 10th inning.

Philadelphia	0	0	2	0	0	1	5	0	1	—15
Brooklyn	2	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	2	0—10

Two-base hits—Gleason, Kiester, Sheckard, Hulswitt, Strang. Three-base hits—Hulswitt, Dobbs. McCreery. Stolen bases—Sheckard, Dobbs, Flood, Gleason, Wolverton, Doolin. Left on bases—Philadelphia 6, Brooklyn 7. Double play—Wolverton and Douglass. First base on errors—Philadelphia 4. First base on balls—Off Mitchell 4, off Duggleby 1. Sacrifice hits—Hallman. Hit by pitched balls—By Garvin 1, by Mitchell 1. Struck out—By Garvin 6, by Mitchell 1, by Duggleby 2. Time—2:25. Umpire—Emslie. Attendance—2,350.

O'NEILL BATTED HARD.

The Cubs Had a Picnic With the Cardinals.

CHICAGO, July 28.—The locals batted O'Neill all over the field in the five innings he pitched today, stole bases at will, and profited on nearly all of the visitors' numerous misplays. Attendance—1,200. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Slagle, l.	1	2	4	0	0	Farrell, 2	0	2	0	4	2
Casey, 3	2	1	1	2	0	Donovan, r	0	1	0	0	0
Chance, 1	3	2	6	0	0	Smoot, m	0	0	1	0	0
Jones, m	0	3	4	0	0	Brain, s	0	0	2	5	1
Evers, 2	0	1	3	2	2	Barclay, l	0	1	1	2	0
Harley, r	0	0	1	0	0	Burke, 3	0	1	1	3	1
Kling, c	2	1	2	3	0	Hackett, 1	0	0	8	2	1
Raub, c	0	0	0	1	0	J.O'Neill, c	0	2	2	4	0
Tinker, s	1	1	5	3	1	M.O'Neill, p	1	0	1	1	2
Taylor, p	0	2	1	0	4	Brown,	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	9	12	27	9	3	Totals	2	8	24	19	7

Chicago	2	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	*	—9
St. Louis	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	—2

Left on bases—Chicago 9, St. Louis 6. Two-base hits—Jones 2, Kling. Three-base hit—Chance. Stolen bases—Slagle, Casey, Evers, Kling, Chance, Burke, J. O'Neill, Brown. Double plays—Evers and Chance, Farrell, Brain and Hackett. Struck out—By Taylor 2, by O'Neill 1, by Brown 1. Bases on balls—Off Taylor 1, off O'Neill 3. Time—1:50. Umpire—Moran.

WILLIS SHOWS FORM.

Held Giants to Five Hits and Boston Won Game.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Inability to hit Willis was the cause of New York being defeated by Boston in the second game of the series today. The errors of Mertes and Gilbert were responsible for three of the Boston's runs. Score:

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Cooley, l.	0	1	5	0	0	Browne, r.	0	0	0	0	0
Tenney, 1	1	1	10	1	0	Bres'an, m	1	0	2	0	0
Stanl'y, m	0	0	1	1	0	McGann, 1	1	2	10	3	0
Carney, r.	0	0	3	0	0	Mertes, l	0	0	1	0	1
Moran, c.	1	2	4	3	0	Babb, s	0	1	2	4	0
Ab'chio,	2	2	2	4	0	Lauder, 3	0	0	1	1	1
G'mger,	3	1	3	0	2	Gilbert, 2	0	1	2	1	1
Aubrey, s	0	0	1	2	0	Bw'man, c	0	1	7	1	0
Willis, p	0	1	3	0	0	M'wson, p	0	0	4	5	0
Totals	5	8	27	14	1	Totals	3	5	27	13	3

*Batted four Lauder in ninth.

Boston	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	0—5
New York	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—3

First base on errors—Boston 3. Left on bases—Boston 7, New York 3. Two-base hits—Tenney, Grenzinger. Home run—Greminger. Sacrifice hits—Stanley, Willis, Bowerman. Stolen bases—Cooley, Moran, Abbaticchio. First base on balls—Off Willis 3, off Mathewson 3. Struck out—By Willis 3, by Mathewson 6. Time—1:50. Umpire—Johnstone. Attendance—4,400.

Greenville Loses at Home.

GREENVILLE, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—Greenville was defeated by the Ohio Steel team of Youngstown, Ohio, today in a fast game through the slow work of the outfield. Cook, a new pitcher, made an excellent showing. Score:

Gr'nville.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Ohio Steel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Starr, c	2	2	6	3	0	Blount, r	0	2	1	0	0
Tate, l	0	1	1	0	0	McKee, l	1	1	2	0	0
Gitzen, 3	0	1	4	2	0	Rosch, m	1	1	1	0	0
Baker, 1	0	1	8	0	1	Gouzzie, 2	1	1	2	4	1
Cline, m	0	0	1	0	1	Kellar, 1	0	0	7	2	0
Orr, s	0	0	1	2	0	C'ford, c	0	1	7	1	0
M'h'lad, r	0	0	1	0	0	Daley, 1	0	1	1	7	1	0
A'b'ugh, 2	1	1	2	2	0	Fisher, l	0	0	5	0	0
Cook, p	0	0	0	1	0	W'craft, s	0	1	1	2	0
						Hughes, p	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	3	7	24	10	4	Totals	4	9	26	11	3

* Tate hit by batted ball.

Greenville	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0—3
Ohio Steel	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	0 *—4

Three-base hit—McKee. Two-base hit—Blount. First base on balls—Off Cook 2, off Hughes 4. Struck out—By Cook 6, by Hughes 4. Double play—Baker (unassisted). Hit by pitcher—Starr. Stolen bases—Greenville 9. Umpire—McKay.

Washington's Close Shave.

WASHINGTON, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—After being beaten here tonight by Canonsburg Washington took a batting streak in the eighth and tied the score, winning the game in the ninth. The contest was the best of the season on the home grounds. The score:

Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	C'nsburg.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Erlser, 3	1	2	5	0	1	Davis, s	1	0	1	1	0
Eckles, c	1	2	7	1	1	J. Per'te, 2	1	0	2	1	1
Maldoon, s	0	1	3	2	1	Coupe, 3	0	2	1	2	0
Carson, r	0	0	0	0	0	G. Per'te, 1	0	1	10	2	0
Welty, l	1	1	1	0	0	Speer, l	1	1	2	0	0
Rigety, m	0	2	2	1	0	P. Hull, r	0	1	4	1	0
Miller, 2	1	1	1	3	0	S'thern, m	0	1	0	0	0
Monroe, p	0	0	0	1	0	Berry, c	0	0	1	0	0
Figuson,	1	0	0	3	0	Hrtford, p	0	0	1	1	0
Aggers, p	0	0	0	0	2	C. Hull, c	0	0	1	3	2
Totals	4	9	27	10	5	Totals	3	7	25	11	1

* One out when winning run was made.

Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	—4	
Canonsburg	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3

Two-base hits—Collins, Speer, Hull, Eckles, Miller. Three-base hit—Welty. Sacrifice hits—Ridgely, Miller, Aggers. Struck out—By Hartford 1, by Monroe 5, by Aggers 2. Bases on balls—Off Hartford 2, off Monroe 1, off Aggers 1. Stolen base—Eckles. Hit by pitcher—Welty, Erlser. Passed ball—C. Hull. Wild pitch—Aggers. Balls—Aggers. Umpire—Hudson. Time—1:45. Attendance, 600.

Central League Games.

WHEELING, W. VA., July 28.

									R.	H.	E.
Wheeling	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	3	—10	10	7
Terre Haute	1	1	1	3	4	0	0	*	—11	11	4

Batteries—Hosmith, Dalequist and Schriver; Popp, Reed and Richardson.

MARION, IND., July 28.—First game:

										R.	H.	E.
Marion	0	1	1	0	3	0	1	0	0—6	9	3	4
South Bend	0	2	3	1	0	0	0	1	0—7	10	1	

Hamilton, Patterson and Jessup; Moffett, Shaffer and Tieman.

Second game:

										R.	H.	E.
Marion	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0—5	8	3	
South Bend	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	4	—10	17	2	

Eastman, Eshterber and Jessup; Shaffer and Tieman.

DAYTON, O., July 28.

									R.	H.	E.
Dayton	2	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0—8	5	3
Fort Wayne	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	3	0—7	10	3

Mullin and Teel; Curtis and Myers.

SHAPING HER UP.

The Reliance to Be Thoroughly Overhauled.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 28.—With the selection of the Reliance as the defender of the America's cup against the Shamrock III., the racing season for large boats off this port is practically finished. The Reliance left at 10 o'clock for Bristol, where she will be thoroughly overhauled.

Commodore Bourne of the New York Yacht club said the Constitution would remain in commission until the cup races and would give the Reliance all possible assistance in tuning up. It is likely the Columbia will go out of commission within a short time.

Thirteen Inning Game.

WAYNESBURG, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—Bridgeville won from the home team today in the thirteenth inning. Gahen, the Green county boy, was on the rubber for Bridgeville, and Welsh for Waynesburg. It was a pitchers' battle with honors about even. Ingraham and Kenney led the home team in batting. Kenney also made a sensational stop in the first half of the thirteenth inning. The teams play here again tomorrow. Score:

Waynesburg	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0—4	7	1
Bridgeville	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	2	1—7	8

JEFFRIES ALL RIGHT AND READY FOR THE FIGHT

Injured Leg Is Well and Champion Says He Could Whip Corbett With a Broken Arm.

HARBIN SPRINGS, CAL., July 28.—(Special.)—"My friends can feel safe that my leg is all right again that I will be in even better shape when I meet Corbett than I have been in my former fights."

This was the message that Jim Jeffries sent broadcast to his friends all over the country today. The bear-bitten leg of the champion is practically healed and he says that his worrying has ceased. When Jeffries was told of the report that he had planned to send Fitzsimmons into the ring at the last moment against Corbett, the champion said:

"I've got my forfeit of $2,500 posted to guarantee my appearance on the night of August 14 against Corbett and I'll not forfeit that unless I really have to. I believe I could beat Corbett if I went into the ring with my right arm broken."

The champion indulged in a moderate amount of exercise. He is anxious to resume his boxing, in order to acquire that speed and skill which Corbett has to such a remarkable extent.

AMONG THE AMATEURS.

The Twilights of Mt. Washington defeated the Osborn Juniors 13 to 10.

E. B. Jones, manager of the Allentown Reserves, has resigned and H. Smith has succeeded him.

The Bellzhoover Reserves want twilight games with 18-year-old teams. Address A. Henry, 89 Bellzhoover avenue.

Windsors play the Rochester A. C. team at Rochester Saturday, August 1. Healey and Buckley will be in the points for the Windsors.

The Riter-Conleys have disbanded. The Duquesne Amateurs, Mt. Washington Amateurs and the W. C. Wrights will please take notice.

The Kenwood Reserves would like to hear from some 13 or 14-year-old team for Saturday. Call up 658 East, P. & A., and ask for Frank Wagner.

James Carlos would like to get a chance as catcher or pitcher for some strong 9 or 10-year-old team. Address James Carlos, Jr., 268 Colwell street.

The Elton A. A. will play the Signal A. C. of Swissvale Saturday. The battery for Kedron will be Wagner and Price; for the Signals, Owl and Spear.

The Wilkinsburg A. A. would like to hear from any 15-year-old team for August 1. Call up 1956 Coral, or address J. F. Kibley, 1319 Swissvale avenue, Wilkinsburg.

All 9 and 10-year-old teams wishing games for Saturdays or Sundays with the Camellias address Harry Schultz, care Stevenson & Fisher Company, 435 Wood street, Pittsburgh.

The National Transits and the Reliance Insurance team will come together on the Rod and Gun club grounds at Brunots island Saturday next, and a hot contest is expected.

The Colonials of Allegheny would like to hear from some strong 15 to 16-year-old team for August 1, Leetsdale Reserves preferred. Address A. E. Lang, 839 Concord street, Allegheny.

The Imperial Juniors will play the Butler A. C. of Butler today at Brinley park. All players are requested to report at the corner of Washington and Franklin streets not later than 1:45.

The Crafton Juniors would like to arrange a game with any good 14 to 15-year-old team for August 1. Address W. H. Wilson, or call up Crafton 239, Bell, and ask for Albert Westergaal.

The J. Colemans cancel all standing games and would like to hear from some strong 15 to 16-year-old team for Saturday. Address E. A. Clawes, 4215 Sherman street, or call up Bell telephone 76 Fisk.

The Packers and Polishers of the McElveen Company yesterday lost the Drivers and Helpers of the Same firm 20 to 2. The batteries: P. & P., Nugent and Skultz; D. & H., Toma and Fording.

The Flowers Avenue Stars would like to hear from any good 10 or 11-year-old team for Saturday on home grounds. F. S. has Sunday, August 2, open. Address Franklin Rush, 83 Flowers avenue, Hazelwood.

The Amateur Stars will play the Alpines at the Stars' grounds this evening. The following players are to report: Hoffman, Reber, Smith, Lawton, Stevens, Reber, Reiber, Hoffman and oMser.

The manager of the Amateur Stars request the following players to report this evening at 6:15 sharp at Recreation park for a practice game: Stevens, Byers, Reiber, Hoffman, Reber, Smith, Edwards, Moser and Cling.

The Arion A. C. would like to hear from all 9 to 10-year-old teams. The following players are requested to report for practice this evening: Madosen, Campbell, Sands, Molen, H. Meyers, Hunter, Smith, A. Meyers, Wienenthal. Address H. Meyers, 28 Trent street, city.

The manager of the Hillsdales would like to have Smith of the Howards and Davies of the Lafayettes report on the university grounds for practice in the evenings. The Hillsdales will continue to play twilight games on Wednesdays. For games call up 550 Court and ask for Burgess.

The Fairbanks meet the Nationals of Allegheny in a twilight game at West Etna Thursday evening. All players are requested to report at 6 p. m. sharp, as the game commences promptly at 6:15. Claffe and Curtis will do the twirling. Aspinwall plays Fairbanks at West Etna Saturday.

The Clippers of Turtle Creek will journey to the West End Saturday next to meet the Ready Reds of that place. The Clippers claim the 16-year-old championship and stand ready to defend their claim against all comers. Teams desiring to arrange games address William Ralph, Turtle Creek, Pa.

The Cabinet A. C. has August 1, 8, 22 and 29 open and would like to hear from all 13 and 14-year-old uniformed teams, the following preferred: Pressed Steel Car Company, Commercials, Handlans, Wilmerding Juniors, American Steel and Wire Company Juniors, Langs and J. E. Goulds. Address George Nickel, 4406 Calvin street, city.

The Verners are without games for August 1, 15 and 22, and would like to hear from any good local or out-of-town teams with those dates open. The team has recently been greatly strengthened and the line-up is now as follows: Carr, catcher; Maier and Heinz, pitchers; Fullen, short; Ottmann, first; O'Donnell, second; McDonald, third; Joe Swaney, Siebert and Johnson, outfielders. For games address John Hill, 314 North Mathilda street, Pittsburgh.

The Building Completed.

The new building erected by the United States National bank at No. 503 Market street is now completed and occupied by the bank. It is one door from Fifth avenue.

PULLIAM MEETS WITH THE MINOR LEAGUE

Ban Johnson Fails to Appear at National Agreement Conference—Dreyfuss Present.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, July 28.—A meeting of the presidents of the base ball league to consider a national agreement, was held at the Hotel Victoria today. There were present, Henry Harris of San Francisco, and J. F. Morley of Los Angeles, representing the California association of baseball clubs; P. J. Hickey of the American association; J. H. Farrell of the New York State league; P. T. Powers of the Eastern league, and Harry Pulliam of the National league.

Messrs. Powers and Farrell, respectively are president and secretary of the National Association of Professional Baseball leagues, and represent that body as well as individual leagues. President Ban Johnson of the American league was detained at his home in Chicago by illness. Those present said the meeting was simply for conference.

M. H. Sexton of Colorado Springs, president of the Western league, came into the hotel just before the meeting began and went into conference with the others.

It is understood that the minor leagues will demand that the reserve rule shall be enforced. When Ban Johnson was in the city last week he said that no matter what agreement was formulated the American league would stand by the contracts made with their players. The most of the contracts run from two to three years, that being the only way the American league could get the star players of the older league to desert after signing contracts with the new league. In the National league the contracts in most cases only extend over the playing season.

Banner Dreyfuss, president of the Pittsburgh club, was around the hotel and had a talk with President Powers. He said that he was in the city on private business and had nothing to do with the meeting. The conference adjourned at 4:30 o'clock. Mr. Pulliam said that he and Mr. Powers had met as a committee and had invited the others to meet with them. An informal talk was had but no plan was mapped out. They will have another session tomorrow.

ANOTHER WHITEWASH.

Invaders Given Another Coat at Boston.

BOSTON, July 28.—Boston scored another shutout today against New York, 3 to 0. Hughes pitched masterly ball, allowing the visitors but three hits. The fielding of both teams and the hitting of Collins and Criger were the features. Score:

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	N. York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Doug'ty,	1	1	2	3	0	0	Keeler, r.	0	0	3	1	0
Collins,	3	1	3	1	4	0	Elberf'd,	0	0	1	1	0
O'Brien,	m	0	0	2	1	0	Conroy,	3	0	6	1	3	0
Freem'n	r	0	0	0	0	0	Will'ms,	2	0	1	4	1	0
Parent,	s.	0	1	4	5	0	Tann'hill,	1	0	0	2	0	0
L'Cl'ce,	1	0	1	4	0	0	M'Fad,	m	0	0	1	0	0
Ferris,	2	0	0	4	1	0	Ganzel,	1	0	1	6	1	0
Criger,	m	1	1	3	0	0	Beville,	c.	0	0	5	0	0
Hughes,	p	0	0	2	0	0	Griffith,	p.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	3	3	9	27	11	0	Totals	0	3	24	10	0

Boston	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	*	—3
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Two-base hits—Collins. Three-base hits—Parwhitt. Home run—Criger. Stolen bases—Collins, O'Brien. Double plays—Ferris, Parent and, Lachance, Parent and Lachance, Keeler and Beville. First base on balls—Off Griffith 1, off Hughes 2. Struck out—By Hughes 2, by Griffith 2. Time—1:16. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance—5,170.

FOUND POWELL EASY.

Cleveland Batters Fatten Their Averages at His Expense.

ST. LOUIS, July 28.—Cleveland won the final game of the series with St. Louis this afternoon with ease. Cleveland did some heavy stick work, while St. Louis could not hit Moore effectively. Bradley's batting was the feature. Attendance, 1,500. Score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cleveland.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Burkett,	1	0	0	0	0	Ray, m	1	1	5	0	0
Martin, r	1	2	4	2	0	Bradley,	3	3	6	1	0
Friel,	2	0	0	2	0	Lajoie,	2	0	2	2	4	0
And'son,	1	0	1	1	1	0	H'kman,	1	1	1	0	0	1
Wallace,	s	0	0	3	6	2	M Cart'y,	1	0	2	6	0	0
H'pill,	m	0	0	0	1	0	Flick,	r.	1	1	0	0	0
Sugden,	c.	0	0	7	0	0	Bernier,	s	1	1	1	1	0
Hill,	3.	1	1	0	1	0	Bemis,	c.	2	2	2	0	0
Powell,	p.	0	1	0	4	1	Moore,	p.	1	0	0	3	0
Totals	2	6	27	17	5	Totals	10	13	27	12	1

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0—2
Cleveland	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	6	—10

Two-base hit—Hill. Three-base hits—Bradley 3, Martin, Hickman. Sacrifice hits—Lajoie, Moore, Flick. Double plays—Martin and Sugden, Gochnauer, Lajoie and Hickman. Stolen base—Bay. Bases on balls—Off Moore 1, off Powell 1. Struck out—By Moore 2, by Powell 2. Left on bases—St. Louis 5, Cleveland 3. Time—1:32. Umpire—Connolly.

ALTOONA WINS BOTH.

Evens Up With Williamsport for Quitting Field.

ALTOONA, PA., July 28.—Two games were played by the Williamsport aggregation and the locals here today. The home team evened up with the visitors, who quit the field yesterday on account of an umpire's decision by taking both contests today and giving them two out of a series of three straight games. The last contest was called at the end of the fifth inning in order that the Lumbermen would have time to catch a train for home. Score:

FIRST GAME.

Altoona.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	W'm'sport.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Cooper, m	0	1	4	1	0

WITH PRESIDENT SHE USED AN AX

Mrs. Roosevelt Assists Her Husband in the Forest of Sagamore Hill.

THEY CHOPPED KINDLINGS

Visitors Were Received at the Long Island Capital Yesterday — Day of Home Life Enjoyed by Nation's Executive and Family.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

OYSTER BAY, L. I., July 28.—Stovewood was produced about twice as fast as usual at Sagamore Hill today, for Mrs. Roosevelt shouldered an ax and made a little tree trimming expedition with the president. Like Gladstone, the president finds great recreation in chopping down trees, but it is nowhere on record that Mrs. Gladstone was much of a woodsman.

Mrs. Roosevelt did not fell any trees today, for both she and the president turned their ax blades on the yet uncut limbs and branches of a recently felled tree of the Sagamore Hill forest. As fast as a tree was stripped the cord lengths were piled up to be later reduced to stove lengths for the fire in the kitchen stoves.

The president had no visitors at all today and so devoted most of his time to a favorite recreation. With Mrs. Roosevelt he played several games of croquet on the court near the barn, and they were as nearly spirited contests as the character of the pastime permitted.

Postmaster General Payne will visit Oyster Bay late this week on his way back to Washington.

A squad of 20 jack tars of the second naval battalion from New York are camped on the Bayville road near here. They sailed to Oyster Bay in the ship's cutters of the United States ship Acleon and are much disappointed at the absence from Oyster Bay of the president's yacht, the Sylph. The citizen tars wanted a race with the cutter crew of the ship.

Former Police Captain Chapman came to Oyster Bay today. He wanted to call the president, but could not wait to see Secretary Barnes, who was absent. Capt. Chapman proceeded to Bayville to visit friends.

WOULD NOT DESERT HER.

Pathetic Incident Connected With Death of New York Woman.

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—Decked with diamonds and attired in a costly dinner gown, the body of Mrs. A. Fragner, whose husband is a wealthy real estate dealer, was kept all night at the Rockway police station until Coroner Hulan called and viewed it today and issued a death certificate. Mr. Fragner protested against the removal of his wife's body from the cottage at Arverne, where she had died suddenly, and when his pleadings were of no avail he and his son, accompanied the body to the station house and kept watch by it throughout the night.

Mrs. Fragner had been in poor health for some time. She dressed for dinner last evening and the effort proved too much for her. A physician was summoned, but her death followed. The physician said heart disease was the cause but he could not issue a certificate as he had not attended her for the legal period.

Mass for Pope Leo.

Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated in St. Mary Magdalen's Catholic church, Homestead, yesterday morning for the repose of the soul of the late Pope Leo. The Rev. John J. Bullion, pastor of the congregation, was the celebrant, and he was assisted by the Rev. William Jordon of St. Francis' church, the Rev. P. A. McKenna and the Rev. A. A. Welsh. The service was largely attended.

THE DEATH ROLL

Mrs. Alexander Gilfillan.

Mrs. Annie Boyd Gilfillan, wife of Alexander Gilfillan, died yesterday afternoon at her home in Upper St. Clair township, after an illness of nearly two months. She was a daughter of Mrs. Margaret Boyd and the late Robert Boyd of Scott township, this county. Mrs. Gilfillan was an active worker in the Mt. Lebanon Presbyterian church. She is survived by her husband, three small children, her mother and two sisters, Mrs. Emma Smith, wife of H. H. Smith, cashier of the First National bank of Latrobe, and Mrs. Lillie A. Dinkey, wife of Charles E. Dinkey, general manager of the Edgar Thomson steel works at Braddock.

John G. Long.

John G. Long, United States consul general at Cairo, Egypt, died yesterday morning at Dunbar, Scotland, where he had been visiting friends. His death was the result of an attack of typhoid fever. Long, whose home was in St. Augustine, Fla., was appointed consul general at Cairo in October, 1900. He was 57 years of age. The accident occurred Monday evening. In the dark Mr. Long missed his footing and fell from the steps of the house where he was stopping, fracturing his skull. Mr. Long was touring Scotland, preparatory to returning to the United States.

Henry A. Miller.

Henry A. Miller, a traveling salesman for the Ward-Mackey Company, died at his home, 4046 Liberty avenue, yesterday. He was born in Lawrenceville, and had lived in Pittsburgh all his life. Mr. Miller was a member of the Fifth Street Methodist Episcopal church and Biddle Roberts Lodge No. 530, O. O. F. Five brothers, Charles S. and Edward of Terre Haute, William J. of Chicago, and George H. and Frank R. of Pittsburgh, survive him.

Mrs. Isabella White.

Mrs. Isabella White, 67 years old, of Collier station, W. Va., died at the Victoria hotel yesterday afternoon from cancer. Mrs. White came to this city three days ago to be operated on, and while here became worse and died. The body was removed to the home of her husband, S. A. White, at Collier, last night from H. Samson & Son's undertaking establishment, Sixth avenue.

Jacob S. Pickel.

Jacob S. Pickel, aged 84 years, is dead at Sandburg, near Butler, Pa. He passed his youth in Saxonburg, but after serving in the civil war located in Pittsburgh, where he lived and was prominently engaged in business for over 30 years. He was a member of the Reformed Presbyterian church. Rev. John H. Prugh of Pittsburgh will conduct the funeral services.

Obituary Notes.

James Wilson, aged 70, of Coal Bluff, Pa., is dead.

Richard Storer, aged 78, of Elizabeth, Pa., is dead.

Solomon Benitz, aged 36, a resident of Beaver Falls, Pa., died yesterday.

Mrs. Irene B. Bowman, wife of Jacob W. Bowman, a retired merchant of Butler, Pa., is dead, aged 63.

Elijah Davis, aged 38 years, died at his home in Turtle Creek yesterday, of typhoid fever. He is survived by one child.

Henry S. Smith, chief of detectives of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company between Jersey City and Mauch Chunk, died yesterday at Allentown, Pa., aged 58 years.

Mrs. Mary Ellis, aged 76 years, a former well-known resident of Homestead, died at her home in Philadelphia on May 25. She is survived by five children: Arthur W., Thomas W. and Mary E. of Philadelphia; Samuel of Youngstown, O., and Mrs. John Nolan of Duquesne, also by one brother, Arthur Watkins of Bennett.

William J. Carson, aged 76 years, died yesterday at the home of Mrs. Margaret Shafer, No. 718 Rebecca avenue, Wilkinsburg. He was born in New York and had only lived in Wilkinsburg for the last 14 months. Death was caused by paralysis. He was a member of the Maj. Lowry Post No. 548, G. A. R. of Wilkinsburg, which conducted services at his home last night, after which the body was shipped to Cambridge, O., for interment.

HOWL FROM THE BATH-HOUSE MEN

Proposed Bathing Ordinance at Atlantic City Is in Deep Disfavor.

CLAIM IT WILL RUIN BUSINESS

Object to a Prescribed Limit for Bathers. Baby Show Attracts a Large Crowd. Pittsburgh Infant Awarded One of the Prizes.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Young's Ocean Pier,
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 28.

Bath house proprietors are considerably exercised over the introduction of an ordinance into city council, to regulate bathing in the ocean and to prescribe a limit beyond which no bather shall be allowed to go, without being subject to a fine of $100, or imprisonment for 30 days or both.

A prominent and well-known bath house proprietor said today that such an ordinance was clearly unnecessary and would work harm to the bathing business. He said that the bathing beach this summer was as safe as it ever had been and that there were fewer lives lost and a less number of rescues than ever before. The beach patrol is an able and efficient body of men and fully capable of caring for the bathers without having an ordinance passed, which prescribes just how far a man shall go from shore when taking a bath.

If a line is to be established there must be some way of designating or marking the so-called danger line, and this would cause people to say at once that bathing was unsafe, because of the fact that a danger line had been established.

A member of the Bath House Proprietors' Protective association said today that should the controversy go so far that their business was to be injured by enactment of prohibitive laws then the bath house proprietors would of necessity be compelled to give notice to the city that the beach was owned by the several bath house proprietors and that city life guards would be removed from the property.

Just to illustrate how safe the bathing is on the beach of this city a bath house man gave the following statement as to the numbers of bathers he had at his establishment for the past four days: For Friday, 1,500; Saturday, 1,800; Sunday, 2,000, and Monday, 1,000. These figures show the enormous number of persons who bathe daily, as there are at least a dozen other bathing establishments that could show a similar record.

The guards are kept on the beach to watch the bathers and render assistance in case of an accident and with the force as at present constituted, are fully able to protect the bathers.

Local Baby a Winner.

A large crowd of smiling spectators were in attendance at the baby show in the ballroom of the steel pier this morning to view the array of cherubs, five of whom were fortunate enough to be classed as prize infants. There were 40 babies entered, all of whom were exceptionally fine youngsters, and merited the approving glances of the throng which consisted, as usual, largely of women. When the votes were taken the following infants were awarded the honor:

The prettiest—Francis Cope of Memphis, Tenn., 309 votes, a silver pitcher; the fattest, Muriel Davis of 117 New Jersey avenue, North, 708 votes, a silver puff box; twins—Arthur and Sidney Burnstein of Philadelphia, 1,270 votes, two silver mugs; the cutest—James W. Early of Pittsburgh, 268 votes, a silver dressing set; the best dressed—John W. Scott, Hl., Philadelphia, 547 votes, a silver bonbon box and plate.

Joint Wage Committee to Meet.

The annual joint session of the committee of glass manufacturers and the flint glass blowers will begin tomorrow in Odd Fellows' hall. The committee of the manufacturers' association has been holding a few sessions preparatory to the joint committee meeting, and have taken a day or two recess pending the assembling of the glass blowers' committee. The latter were to have met yesterday, but President D. A. Hayes, who is a member of the committee was unable to attend. Mr. Hayes is in the west attending the annual meeting of the glass blowers' association and was re-elected to the presidency late last week. The convention, which was held in Milwaukee, did not close until late last week, and Mr. Hayes is now on his way to the east. Yesterday he sent a telegram to members of the committee here advising the members that he expected to reach this city tomorrow.

Guests of the Gazette.

The following Pittsburghers were guests today at The Gazette bureau on Young's ocean pier:

Lynn C. Doyle.
Roy E. Gurney.
J. G. Rudolph.
Mrs. G. J. Rudolph.
Charles T. Smith.
George Rodgers.
John Carey.
William H. Symar.
W. G. Negley.
Mrs. W. G. Negley.
Ella M. Bailey.
Mary Hansen.
Lynda Hansen.
William E. Cobbly.
H. M. Drousfield.
P. A. Richardson.
A. E. Kuemelin.
F. L. Mommen.
J. S. Marshall.
William Keep.
James E. Hook.
L. G. McKoon.
Robert Field Wright.
Paul Larue.
Agnes Field Wright.
A. Dignita Reader.
A. F. Pendleton.
A. E. Agard.
Gilbert Voigt.
Emma Evans.
T. J. Conlin.
James McLain.
Mrs. James McLain.
R. N. Litton.
W. J. Webster.
Mrs. W. J. Webster.
Emil G. Wolff.
Miss Wolff.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the hotels named:

BRENTON.
John Digele.
Samuel Daniels.
BOWKERS.
Conrad Day.
Miss Calhoun.
CHELWOODE.
Miss M. Adams.
COLMAN.
Frank Gardner.
Mayo C. Miller.
CONQUERORS.
Miss Blanche Daringer.
EDEN HALL.
William H. Fare.
Henry Freman.
FREDONIA.
Mr. Gill.
James Lloyd.
KILCOURSE.
Walter Bell.
Mr. Barber.
LA TOURAINE.
David Fleming.
MORRIS.
Francis H. Gunther.
Miss M. Burrows.
MERVINE.
Mrs. Keenan.
James H. Durang.
ROSSMORE.
Max Rosebach.
RIO GRANDE.
George W. Graft.
Miss Roberts.
RITTENHOUSE.
John C. McMenemin.
SILVERTON.
Wm. S. Barrents.
STEAND.
Harry S. Eldrew.
Henry Schumacher.
George D. Barrow.
SAN JOSE.
Charles S. Coves.
Miss Harris.
WORTHINGTON.
Harry M. Mountz.
Miss Giffin.
CHELTENHAM.
Mr. H. Chapman.
H. Morrow.
DUQUESNE-MARION.
Charles Davis.
Mary Hurst.
YOUNG'S HOTEL.
Elmer W. Small.
BRADDOCK.
Miss Ramsey.
Mrs. Harry Morris.
CARLETON HALL.
Miss Galton.
Georgia Cowell.
HAINES' HOTEL.
James Lutzenberger.
BEVERLY.
M. W. Powell.
B. Litton.
Mrs. B. Litton.
DENNIS.
H. C. Calvert.
A. G. Breitweiser.
DUQUESNE.
F. Beeter.
F. Beeter, Jr.
Mrs. F. Beeter.
ETHELYN.
Mrs. I. J. Barr.
ELTON.
Mr. Murphy.
Miss H. Foster.
FAHEY'S COTTAGE.
B. J. Lutz.
Mrs. B. J. Lutz.
SILVERSIDE.
M. O. Grossman.
L. G. McAfoos.
H. L. Cunningham.
GLENDINE.
H. M. Norris.
Myra Cohen.
HADDON HALL.
H. Phillips.
Mrs. H. Phillips.
KENDERTON.
C. E. Grubb.
Mrs. C. E. Grubb.
Sam Hall.
E. Kenngott, Jr.
W. A. Helm.
Miss E. Rolbecker.
Mrs. Rolbecker.
LA BELLE INN.
Harry J. Decker.
LOUELLA.
F. E. Ferguson.
M. C. Couner.
W. F. Gray.
Mrs. W. F. Gray.
Miss J. Stanton.
Mrs. L. C. Hopkin.
MALATESTA.
P. L. Descalze.
C. Chull.
James F. Sherwood.
James E. Reane.
C. B. Wrey.
A. Ronce.
RUDOLF.
M. J. Murphy.
Mrs. M. J. Murphy, children and maid.
WAVELET.
W. G. Chess.
J. F. Chess.
Mrs. W. G. Chess.
WALLACE.
J. F. Dalzell.
Mrs. I. F. Bellevue.

W. C. LITTLE.

CELEBRATED GOLDEN WEDDING

Mrs. William B. Bigley. William B. Bigley.

NEW CASTLE, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Bigley was observed by a public reception in the parlors of the First Presbyterian church. They were married July 28, 1853, at Butler. Mr. Bigley is 80 years old and his wife 78. They were presented with a purse filled with gold.

UNITY OF INTERESTS WILL BE PRESERVED

The Shipbuilding Reorganization Committee Pushing Its Work in the Courts.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, July 28.—William Nelson Cromwell, counsel for the reorganization committee of the United States Shipbuilding Company announced today that two-thirds of the entire outstanding issue of first mortgage bonds have been deposited with the committee and over $1,000,000 additional bonds also placed under his control. Mr. Cromwell in a statement said:

"At the instance of the committee, and for the purpose of carrying out the plan, foreclosure suits have been instituted in the various district courts and they will be pushed to decree of sale at the earliest practicable date. The purpose and policy of the committee is to maintain the unity of the Bethlehem and Shipbuilding interests unbroken, for the benefit of all concerned, either as bondholders, stock holders or creditors. The time for deposit with the committee expired yesterday and no further deposit will be solicited by the committee."

FRANK A. PARKER.

SHOT A POLICEMAN.

Soldier Tried to Kill His Sweetheart and Officer and Himself.

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—In view of hundreds of persons going to work Patrolman Mulvey of the Union Market station was probably fatally shot at Avenue B and Seventh street this morning, while trying to prevent a soldier from shooting his sweetheart. The soldier was Adolph Schloss, 22 years old, of the Eleventh battery, stationed at Fort Hamilton. After shooting the policeman the soldier shot himself twice. Schloss was arrested.

His sweetheart, Louise Freedman, 18 years old, ran away screaming after the shooting. The police found her in time to bring her to court. Schloss was held without bail. The girl charged the soldier with attempting to kill her.

NOTED CHINESE ARRIVE.

Representative of Celestial Empire and Family Reach New York from Peru.

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—Li Ching Hsu, the charge d'affaires of the emperor of China in Peru, his wife and his two-year-old son, were passengers on the Panama line steamer Alliance, which arrived today from Colon. With them came Fung Yin, the Chinese consul in Lima.

Hsu not only has the distinction of being a man of independent wealth but is a nephew of the late Li Hung Chang. The most interesting figure, however, was Mrs. Shu Li, Hsu's wife. She is an Oriental beauty with finely cut features, black hair and black eyes. She wore a long kimono of white silk dotted with blue flowers and a long blue silk skirt.

BOY SAID HE TESTIFIED THROUGH TERROR OF POLICE

CHICAGO, July 28.—Julius Wittrack, the 11-year-old boy, who was the chief witness for the state in the prosecution of his father, John Wittrack, and his mother, for the murder of Paul Paszkowski, six years old, whose body was found in a hollow in the outskirts of the city several months ago, denied today all the damaging statements he has made against his parents. He says today that he had been terrified into making these accusations by the police and disclaimed all knowledge of the manner of the boy's death.

PLEADED NOT GUILTY OF MARCUM MURDER

CYNTHIANA, KY., July 28.—The work of securing the jury to try Curtis Jett and Thomas White was completed today. Capt. Ewen, chief witness for the state, is under arrest, the authorities having agreed to that course to more fully protect him. The defense filed a demurrer to the indictment, but it was overruled. The defendants then waived formal arraignment and pleaded not guilty. Court adjourned until tomorrow.

Frohman Getting New Plays.

NEW YORK, July 28.—After an absence of six months in Europe, Charles Frohman returned today on the Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse and made formal announcement of his plans for the coming theatrical season in this country. His new plays by American authors will include comedies by William Gillette, Clyde Pitch and Augustus Thomas, on which these writers are at work.

Sues for $10,000 Damages.

HARRISBURG, July 28.—Suit was instituted by Joseph L. Weaver, against the Central Iron & Steel Company for $10,000 damages, alleged to have resulted from injuries received by being knocked from a car on the company's property by a post alleged to have been negligently placed. Weaver was an employe of the company at the time of the accident.

Fatal Fall from a Train.

HARRISBURG, July 28.—Edwin B. Jacobson of Irvington, N. J., fell from a freight train on the Rockville bridge today and sustained injuries from which he died two hours later.

DEWEY WILL SUPPORT THE NEW NAVAL PLANS

Admiral Has Been Enlisted in the Bradford Battleship Proposition.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Rear Admiral Bradford's position in regard to the plans for the new 13,000-ton battleships has found a strong supporter in Admiral Dewey, who is said to have been won away from the O'Neil-Bowles design by the argument presented by Rear Admiral Bradford. Admiral Dewey never was favorably disposed to the plan of the board of construction, and the scheme of sacrificing speed and coal endurance for armament.

It is now said that he has read Rear Admiral Bradford's argument and has aligned himself with the chief of the bureau of equipment in this controversy. Rear Admiral Bradford concluded his argument with an appeal to the secretary of the navy to obtain "further expert advice" before finally deciding between the O'Neil-Bowles plan and the design suggested, and it is now intimated that Admiral Bradford seeks to have the question referred to the general board of which Admiral Dewey is president, confident in the belief that the board will uphold his position.

BOY BURGLARS ARE WORKING IN BRADDOCK

Nearly a dozen robberies have been committed in Braddock during the past few days, and in every case they have been traced to a gang of boys whose ages range from 10 to 14 years. Monday night the store of A. J. Spigelmire & Co. was entered and about $50 worth of goods taken.

PERSONALS

Howard Schoffenhauer of Weimar, Germany, is at the Hotel Lincoln. He is making a visit to the various libraries in this country. He is an assistant librarian at the Weimar library. Speaking of literature, he said: "I find that in this country more attention is paid to fiction than to any other class of literature. Standard works, and especially history, should be the principal literature for any person; fiction, while some of it is edifying, does not compare with the benefits to be derived from classics and history."

John H. Mogul of Canal Dover spent yesterday in Pittsburgh. Before leaving he said: "Since the United States Steel Corporation removed the tin mill from Canal Dover, the town has been at a standstill. Several large firms have been negotiating for locations there, and the indications are that several will be taken there. This will place the town on an even better footing than with the former tin mill.

Congressman John Dalzell, who is at his home in Hawkins, was unable to attend the celebration at the Herrs island dam yesterday. Mr. Dalzell is staying in on account of a bad cold, but at his house it was said last night that his ailment was not serious.

Fred H. Tristram, assistant general passenger agent of the Wabash, left last night on a business trip to Detroit and Toledo.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Nearby residents at the local hotels last night were as follows:

Victoria—P. B. Moore, East Palestine; E. Cameron, Powell, and H. F. Brooks, Uniontown.

Newell's—E. B. Borth, Parkersburg; R. Ellis, Erie, and H. S. Schoff, Cresson.

Seventh Avenue—Y. S. White, Franklin; George W. Banchard, Erie; E. E. Cutting, Du Bois; T. Love, Brookville, and R. R. Martern, Franklin, and T. Ross, Waynesburg.

Monongahela House—R. E. Adam, Wheeling; J. W. Reitz, Rockwood; T. Hyndman, California; J. Clarkeburg, Mt. Pleasant; D. Johnson, New Castle, and E. Campbell, Uniontown.

Griswold—C. H. Donohue, Bells Vernon; James A. Marshuer, Morgantown, and H. Foehr, Reading.

Anderson—William H. Malvin, Scranton; John S. O'Connor, Hawley; W. J. Arthur, Uniontown, and George F. Booch, Bradford.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Frank H. Tepe.....Pittsburgh
Mary E. Williams.....Pittsburgh
Joseph A. Johnston.....Turtle Creek
Mary E. R. Lewis.....Turtle Creek
Thomas Kennedy.....Pittsburgh
Mary M. Carr.....Pittsburgh
Thomas L. Robinson.....Duquesne
Mary E. Morgan.....McKeesport
Nathan Leake.....Knoxville
Eleanor Lewis.....Knoxville
Walter E. Bailey.....Pittsburgh
Marie J. Carey.....Allegheny
Frank B. Maratta.....Valencia
Nellie Jane Park.....Valencia
Joseph W. Fisher.....Allegheny
Lulu E. Faber.....Allegheny
Frederick Tiemeneyer.....Allegheny
Elizabeth Koerner.....Allegheny
Charles Schnorr.....Pittsburgh
Al. Florence Saville.....Pittsburgh
James McKee.....Pittsburgh
Elizabeth Biegler.....Pittsburgh
Samuel F. Messer.....Warren, O.
Elizabeth B. Havard.....Niles, O.
Elder McCord.....Allegheny
Mary B. Fox.....Allegheny
John Frobe.....Pittsburgh
Mary Hey.....Mt. Oliver
William Lyton.....Pittsburgh
Lue Coleman.....Pittsburgh
Charles E. Goodwin.....Pittsburgh
Florence Darts.....Pittsburgh, Pa.
Isaac C. McKay.....Fayette City, Pa.
Pearl F. Fleming.....Pittsburgh
James H. Marshall.....Homestead
Etta Mabel Anderson.....Homestead
Julius Fonski.....Pittsburgh
Wanda Kirchbaum.....Allegheny
Jackson Saxon.....East Pittsburgh, Pa.
Grace Martin.....East Pittsburgh, Pa.
Joseph Bill.....Duquesne
Mary Gambalyi.....Duquesne
Lawrence J. Kirk.....Pittsburgh
Agnes E. Getaneiser.....Pittsburgh
Joseph Irwin.....Rankin
Mary E. Davis.....Rankin

SOCIETY

THE woods surrounding Castel Shannon have been the scene of many pleasant gatherings since the opening of Stevenson's outdoor sketch class on July 6. The class term closes Saturday next, regretted by all the members of the class, who have met each day for work and fun combined. The class includes Mrs. Daisy Gatts Buchbinder, Miss Nellie M. Crider, Miss Lillian McKee, Miss Isabella Leggate, Miss Jessie White, Miss Myra Wendt, Miss Alice Schofield, Luther P. Schofield, David E. Kornhauser, Morgan W. Eckle, Albert M. Deithrick, A. McBean Colledge, Fred Demmler and Arthur D. Richards.

The scenery in the vicinity of Castle Shannon is exceedingly picturesque and has afforded ample opportunity for much excellent work by the pupils. Sketches have already been finished by many of the class, the work including oil, water color, pastel and black and white. A number of these pictures will be placed on exhibition at the close of the art school term in 1904. A few members of the outdoor class are spending the summer at Castle Shannon, while others make the journey daily between the little sketching grounds and Pittsburgh. From 9 o'clock in the morning until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, with the exception of a certain time at midday, when lunches are eaten in true picnic fashion, the class is busily at work. The weather so far has been exceedingly pleasant for outdoor work, but on a few rainy days the class has repaired to a near by house whose doors were thrown open by a hospitable hostess. Plans are already being discussed for next year. It is proposed that the class establish a permanent camp either at the present location or at some favorable point in Canada.

Oakmont Social News.

Oakmont will be quite active socially this week, a number of little affairs having been planned. Mrs. William H. Cooper's entertainment, which was to have taken place yesterday, has been postponed until today. Miss Maym Morris and Miss Cora Morris will entertain on Thursday afternoon in honor of Miss Condron of Hollidaysburg. It will be very informal, just a few intimate friends having been asked to spend the afternoon at cards. Miss Emma Johnston was hostess at a fantastic party yesterday. The tables were placed on the grounds surrounding the Johnston family home. Mrs. Charles Bailey gives a children's party on Friday for her little daughter, Miss Jean Bailey, whose birthday it is. Among other events is Mrs. William McConway's luncheon, to be followed by cards on Friday. Mrs. McConway will have as honor guest, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Thayer of New York.

A party of young people from Oakmont are having a most enjoyable time in camp at Harmarville. They are occupying the Kuntz cottage, with tents pitched on the lawn. Mrs. J. C. Glass is at present their chaperone. The party includes Miss Clara and Miss Lue Martin, Miss Pleasance Baker, Miss Ruth Armstrong, Miss Grace Hunter and Miss Margaret Glass, Howard Nicholson, John Moyer, George Hamilton, Alec Nibick and Thomas Gillespie.

Under the auspices of the Woman's club of Oakmont a lecture was given yesterday on the grounds surrounding Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Armstrong's residence. Miss Johnston of Chicago was the speaker, and her subject was municipal work.

Miss Alsme Hunter of Oakmont is visiting relatives in Bellevernon.

Samuel Witherspoon is a guest at Brownsville.

Miss Mary Ellen Armstrong leaves tomorrow for Berlin on the Jersey coast, where she will spend some time with school friends from the Pennsylvania College for Women.

The Presbyterian church of Oakmont holds its annual picnic tomorrow. The spot selected for this event is Knowland's grove, near Logans Ferry. The Rev. G. W. Montgomery is pastor of the church.

Jones—Heeren.

Much interest was centered in the marriage of Miss Mame Francelina Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac C. Jones of Somerset and Harry Hoffman Heeren of Pittsburgh, the event having taken place Monday evening. The Rev. John W. Wilson of Somerset was the officiating clergyman, the ceremony being performed in the United Brethren church of Somerset. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Bertha A. Jones, as maid of honor, and Miss Nellie M. Heeren and Miss Kathrene Holderbaum as maids. Ralph Heeren, a brother of the bridegroom, was best man; the ushers were John Holderbaum and Robert F. Holderbaum, while, completing the bridal company, were a small niece and brother of the bride, Nellie and Clyde Jones, the ribbon bearers. The bride was gowned in white crepe de chine over white taffeta with applique trimmings. Her veil, hanging gracefully to the end of her train, was fastened with a crown brooch of diamonds and pearls, the groom's gift. White roses were carried by the bride. The maid of honor wore a gown of white silk mull over green taffeta, and carried white sweet peas and maidenhair fern. The maids were both in green point d'esprit over green taffeta, shirred and with white lace trimmings, while their flowers were pink and white sweet peas intermingled with smilax. The little ribbon bearers were also in white each carrying baskets of white sweet peas. Both the church and house were profusely decorated with ferns, laurel and pink and white sweet peas. After a reception at the bride's home the bridal couple left on a lake tour, on their return from which they will be at home in Bouquet street on dates after September 1.

Family Reunion.

Probably the largest family reunion ever held in Western Pennsylvania will take place August 25, when the descendants of John Lydick and John Stuchel meet at Marion Center in Indiana county. Both families have been organized in reunion associations for many years, and it has been decided to meet together this year. Numerous intermarriages have taken place between the two families, some of them over 100 years ago, John Lydick and John Stuchel settled in Indiana county in 1768. Lydick was twice driven out by the Indians, the first time soon after his settlement, and the second time when the revolutionary war began. He was persistent and returned again when peace was proclaimed. When the Indians made the raid which resulted so disastrously to Lydick, he buried his household goods, before fleeing. Among the effects was a handmill which Lydick himself had made for grinding grain. This mill is today in a fair state of preservation, and will be exhibited at the reunion. Two of Lydick's daughters married sons of Stuchel, and the connection between the families has continued at intervals ever since. At the Lydick reunion last year 1,500 people were present and the number this year will probably be greater than before. The descendants of the two pioneers are scattered over Western Pennsylvania, Pittsburgh being the home of many of them, while others are located in both eastern and western states.

Box Parties at the Garden.

Duquesne Garden is holding its own in the favor of the people of Pittsburgh and with the ever popular opera, "Il Trovatore" on the bills, will be well filled this week. Numerous box parties are scheduled to come off within the next few days. Mrs. J. H. Osborne of Sewickley has engaged a box for Friday night, when she will entertain a party of 12. Miss Rebecca Pennington of the East End will be hostess to a party of young folks whom her aunt, Mrs. J. S. Billington, will chaperone. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crokston are to have a party of 18 on Thursday evening, and on the same evening Miss Mitchell's party from Sewickley will be chaperoned by Mrs. J. T. Mitchell. Another group on Friday will include Mr. and Mrs. Schofield, Mr. and Mrs. Logue, Mr. and Mrs. Hapgood, Mr. and Mrs. Garvin, Mr. and Mrs. Fownes, Mr. and Mrs. Deans, Mr. and Mrs. Berg and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold.

Pittsburghers in Paris.

PARIS, July 20.—The following Pittsburghers are registered this week in Paris: Dr. and Mrs. R. S. White and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Kelly at the Hotel Glatz; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Overholt, Mr. J. D. Thompson, Dr. J. Thompson, Mrs. Thompson and the Misses H. J. And C. W. Thompson are at the Hotel de Louvre; Charles A. Dickson is at the Hotel Normandy; Dr. C. C. Jennings and Mr. C. McCausland are at the Continental; Mr. H. Thaw is at the Langham; at the Elysee Palace hotel are Mr. H. R. Rook and party and Miss Edith Glover, actress, at the Grand are Mr. W. S. McClintock, Mr. F. W. Eschman of York and T. D. Dalzell; Mr. and Mrs. P. X. Murphy are at the Hotel Scribe; Mr. G. Wolfohn and Miss Wolfohn are at the Hotel Lille et d'Albion; Mrs. Fairweather and the Misses Cooper are at the Florence; Miss Bertha Koehling and Miss S. Martin are at the Choiseul.

Picnic at Riverview Park.

Log cabin No. 2, in Riverview park, Allegheny, was the headquarters of a jolly picnic party yesterday, when the Sunday school of the Avalon Lutheran church had its annual outing. About 75 were present and had an enjoyable time romping over the hills and hollows, with a visit to the bear pits and aviary. Lunch was eaten on the veranda of the cabin and was followed by numerous games in which the men, women and children participated, prizes being given the winners. The Rev. Mr. Tejan, who has recently taken charge of the church, took an active part in the day's proceedings and proved quite successful in leading the games.

Lawn Fete in Shadyside.

The grounds of Mr. and Mrs. John Colvin, of Shadyside presented a very pretty scene last evening. A lawn fete was given by the Epworth chapter of the Friendship Park Methodist Episcopal church, and the place was gayly decorated with lanterns and bunting. Among those interested in the affair were W. W. Williams, Charles Schaeffer, Miss Reed, Miss Braun, Miss Jennie Turner, Harry Savage and W. D. Penny.

Women Give a Reception.

The members of Fern Leaf assembly, No. 31, Daughters of Naomi of Braddock, last evening celebrated the 10th anniversary of the institution of the assembly at Braddock. The celebration took place in Russell's hall and many prominent members of the order, and of the Ancient Order Knights of the Mystic Chain, of which the women's order is an auxiliary, were present. The reception was followed by an entertainment, furnished by well-known readers, singers and an orchestra. The welcome address was delivered by S. M. Cocher. Members of the Daughters of Naomi of 10 assemblies in Western Pennsylvania were present.

Social Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schuette and family of the East End leave next week for an extended trip through the east.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Tow and family of North Highland avenue are in Europe, having sailed on the steamer Cedric when it made its last voyage across the ocean.

Clarence Peacock, James F. Miller and Otto Hack, who are touring Europe, are at present in Paris. Mr. Hack is a Vincennes, Ind., man, who was graduated from Princeton last year with Mr. Miller.

The Strollers' club of Braddock held its monthly meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. Rose Saddler Griffiths of Hawkins avenue, North Braddock. The club will give a lawn fete next month.

Preferred Walking to Riding.

Harry Carter, colored, 18 years, old, was arrested last night in Murray avenue and locked in No. 4 police station as a suspicious person. He told the police he was from Everett, Pa., and had left Cincinnati on July 5 to walk to Philadelphia. He said he had walked all the distance from Cincinnati because he had an aversion to freight trains.

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Scotch Highballs and Strong Imagination Caused World Wide Concern. American Consul Seems to Be Mixed Up Too.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 28.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—The Panama revolution last Saturday night, in view of information which came today, resembles a page from comic opera. Gen. Vasquez Cobos, who overthrew the government for a day, arrested most of the estimable local officers, sent the governor flying in his pajamas into the shrubbery to escape a dungeon, it seems now did not know what he was doing.

The truth is that Gen. Cobos had dined too well, and not being used to Scotch highballs, lost his head and decided that affairs in Panama were not going to suit him. He accordingly ordered his army of 10 men under arms and overthrew the government.

When Gen. Cobos got sober Sunday evening everything looked gray and gloomy. He did not remember what he had done. He realized that something unusual had taken place when another officer appeared at the head of his army of ten men and placed him under arrest. He has been removed from office and will be tried by court-martial.

All this was told in a cable message received today from Panama. Gen. Cobos does not seem to have been the only one who lost his head during the boisterous doings in Panama.

The state department is wondering what Consul Gudger meant by sending dispatches which treated the matter as serious. He reported all quiet today, but offered no explanations. The strain seems to have been hard on Gudger, for he accompanied his message with a request for 60 days leave. Assistant Secretary Loomis, who has a sense of humor, replied that in view of the disturbed conditions in Panama he does not think Mr. Gudger should leave his post.

EQUITABLE AGENTS TO ENJOY AN OUTING

Manager Edward A. Woods Will Send Them on a Two Weeks' Summer Journey.

The fifth annual outing given by Edward A. Woods, manager of the Pittsburgh agency of the Equitable Life Assurance society to his associates in the agency will begin on Friday, July 31. An elaborate itinerary has been prepared. Those who go will have the choice of the long trip, lasting from July 31 until August 12, or the short trip.

The latter trip begins on August 7 and those who patronize it will join the regular party on August 9 in the Catskill mountains.

At 11:30 p. m. the regular party will leave the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad station. They will arrive at Niagara Falls on Saturday morning, take a trip through the gorge, go by boat to Toronto and from Toronto to the Thousand Islands. Sunday will be spent at the Thousand Island house in Alexandria bay. On Monday evening the party will arrive in Montreal, go straight to Quebec, arriving on Tuesday; leave Quebec on Wednesday and arrive in Montreal again on Thursday morning. Friday will be spent about the head waters of Lake Champlain. The voyage through Lake George is enjoyed on Saturday, and on Saturday evening the party will arrive in the Catskill mountains, where Sunday will be spent. On Monday evening the party will reach New York, spending Tuesday there, and on Wednesday, August 12, the excursionists get home. William M. Duff has charge of the arrangements.

The following is a list of the persons who will enjoy Mr. Wood's hospitality on the outing:

Edward Agnew, Mrs. Edward Agnew, Miss Maud Agnew, J. S. Albert, C. W. Allen, I. N. Bair, H. K. Bond, Miss Bond, Miss Beatrice B. Boyd, Miss Minta Boyd, W. L. Byers, E. J. Cox, William M. Duff, J. H. Eskridge, Robert J. Eskridge, Leonard Fosdick, S. W. Guthrie, Clyde Guthrie, O. P. Hood, Dr. W. A. Longaker, Mrs. W. A. Longaker, Miss Nellie Longanecker, D. S. Lynn, Miss Mathiot, Dr. J. S. Mardis, Mrs. J. S. Mardis, F. P. Moore, Edward J. Moore, the Rev. W. A. Moore, T. F. Myler, J. S. McCarger, Mrs. J. S. McCarger, J. N. McConnell, T. C. McKeon, William H. McManus, Mrs. William H. McManus, E. S. Neiy, C. B. Norman, J. W. Peterson, Charles M. Reich, Joseph C. Relsenman, J. P. Ramsey, O. H. Sanford, F. G. Smith, Charles A. Steele, W. C. Stephens, William W. Stevenson, H. S. Thayer, Andrew E. Umsted, Earl R. Umstead, Mrs. L. E. Umstead, J. Fulton Wilson, N. S. Woolridge, Edward A. Woods, Lawrence C. Woods, Charles A. Woods, S. O. Wright, Mrs. S. O. Wright.

LEADING THE COUNTY.

Pittsburgh Postoffice Expected to Make the Best Showing of Any This Year.

Postmaster George L. Holliday has sent to the postoffice department his report of the business of the Pittsburgh office for the fiscal year, ending June 30, 1903. The report shows an increase of more than $20,000 in the gross receipts, and a material reduction in the percentage of expenses. Assistant Postmaster George A. Holliday says he thinks the Pittsburgh office will make the best showing of any in the country.

The report shows that the gross receipts for the year were $1,407,109 94, while the receipts for the preceding 12 months were $1,209,000. The expenses were $436,393 46, which means that 31.17 percent of the receipts went for expenses. For the preceding fiscal year the percentage of expense was 33.33. The following table shows the expense items:

Clerk hire and miscellaneous ex- penses, 68.54 per cent	$204,586 81
Free delivery, 16.63 per cent	224,091 65
Salaries of 242 clerks	192,849 28
Salaries of 251 carriers	223,797 73
Rental of stations	8,266 00

Section Men on Strike.

SHARON, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—The section hands of the Erie railroad struck this morning. They have been paid $1.35 a day, and ask for $1.50. Two hundred men formed in procession along the division. It is thought all the hands on the Mahoning division will strike.

JAILED FOR KILLING THE MAYOR'S DOG

MONESSEN, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—John Harris, a prominent merchant, is in jail because he refused to pay a fine of $15 imposed by Squire William B. Croushore for alleged malicious mischief and cruelty to animals. One of Harris' children is alleged to have been bitten by a dog at the feed stable of Mayor A. N. Shuster and Harris killed the dog.

News of Nearby Towns and Country

LAKE IN OAKFORD PARK IS TO BE ABANDONED

Brush Creek Will Be Unobstructed in Jeannette Valley. Damage Suits Threatened.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

GREENSBURG, PA., July 28.—Officers of the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Greensburg Street railway Co. attended the inquest last night at Jeannette and as soon as the verdict was returned releasing the company from all responsibility for the disaster at Oakford park on July 5, they communicated with the section foremen in charge of repair gangs along the line and the foremen were directed to send their men to the park this morning, and more than 100 men were there at work today. The wrecked bridges will be rebuilt and the park put in as presentable a condition as possible. It is proposed to give concerts each evening and on Sundays and to schedule picnics for the last weeks of August and September.

Lake Placid will be abandoned altogether but the theater will be reconstructed. All the lighter buildings will be built on the hillside, and Brush creek will be given a clear sweep through the park. The park may be opened on Sunday, August 9.

It was learned today that a big number of suits for damages would have been instituted if the verdict of the coroner's jury had been against the street railway company.

BLACKS HOLD REUNION.

Three Hundred Descendants of Butler County Settler Have Their Annual Gathering.

BUTLER, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—The annual reunion of the Black family at Alameda park here today was attended by about 300 of the descendents of John Black, who came from Donegal county, Ireland, in 1790, to what is now Marion township, this county.

Among those who attended from out of town were Col. John A. Black of Greensburg, Louis Black of Altoona, E. Black and wife, R. W. Black and wife, Judge Criswell and wife, Isaiah Black and wife, and Mr. Fobes and wife of Franklin; Louis Black and wife of Boston, Mass.

The following officers were elected: President, Col. John A. Black; vice presidents, J. T. Black of Marion township, and Ephraim Black of Franklin; secretary, E. E. Campbell of Butler.

KILLED BY BROTHERS.

Negro Shot to Death During Quarrel Over Game of Cards. Murderers Escape.

WASHINGTON, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—Duke Jones, colored, was shot and instantly killed by his brothers, Henry and Joseph Jones, at Cecilia, a small mining town in the northern part of Greene county, at 2 o'clock this morning. The party had been drinking and carousing all night. They became involved in a quarrel, when both Joseph and Henry Jones drew revolvers and shot Duke Jones several times.

The negro dropped dead and his assailants fled. Constable Martin Luther started in pursuit of the two men. He secured a small posse and rounded up the two negroes in a strip of woods not far from the scene of the shooting. They were brought to the county jail at Washington tonight.

TWO THOUSAND MINERS ATTEND HIGH MASS

PUNXSUTAWNEY, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—All the mines in this region were closed today in order to allow the miners to attend the service held here in memory of the death of Pope Leo XIII. Forty 2,000 miners, representing the Greek Catholic and Roman Catholic societies of Walston, Adrian, Horatio, Lindsey, Eleanora, New Florence, Anita and Rossiter were in line and marched to the Catholic church at Lindsey, where solemn high mass for the repose of the soul of the deceased was celebrated by the Rev. Father Weinker.

Employes Are to Marry.

MONESSEN, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—Miss Agnes May Woods, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Woods of Manown, and Ralph William Lee of Pricedale, will be married at the country home of the bride's parents tomorrow at noon. The groom is chief architect for the Pittsburgh Coal Company at Pricedale and the bride has been chief bookkeeper there.

Injured by Trestle Breaking.

GREENSBURG, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—By the breaking of a trestle at Bolivar, yesterday afternoon, Engineer John White of Waverly, N. Y., and Peter Heido of Bolivar, were badly injured, the former probably fatally. His right arm was broken at the elbow and he received internal injuries. Both men are at the Westmoreland hospital.

CURTISS H. GREGG.

Chief burgess of Greensburg, Pa., who is the father of an ordinance introduced in council providing for a special election of taxpayers to determine whether a bond issue of $200,000 is advisable at this time.

SLOT MACHINE RAID IN WESTMORELAND

District Attorney Orders Confiscation of Gambling Devices. Number of Arrests Made.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

IRWIN, PA., July 28.—There are 30 slot machines stacked up at police headquarters here tonight, the result of a raid made on them in Irwin and vicinity by local officers. The machines range from the fine musical cabinets to the modest little machine for penny gambling. Besides the machines, a large amount of money was secured.

The raid was made by order of District Attorney Cunningham and the machines were captured by Burgess Rodgers, and Constables Meerhoff and Kinnel. In Irwin six machines were found in operation. The men who were operating them were given notice to apear in court.

When the officers swooped down on Trafford City the people running machines showed fight. The machines were not only taken, but the parties were brought to town and bound over to court. They were Dick and Sam Brown, John Weber and Sam and Anna Maritress. The additional charge of running an alleged speakeasy was also placed against the latter. During the afternoon several machines were taken in Hahntown, and several in surrounding mining towns.

TWO COUNCILMEN ARRESTED.

Beallsville City Fathers and Former Street Commissioner at War.

WASHINGTON, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—As a result of some difficulty between J. F. Fitzsimmons, former street commissioner of Bealsville, and the town council, information was made against Councilmen John K. Thompson and J. A. Horn, charged by Fitzsimmons with violating contracts to furnish lumber with material of certain kinds. Fitzsimmons, on account of friction with that body, was dismissed by unanimous vote of council.

The men were arrested and gave bail for a hearing Thursday afternoon.

Fatal Quarrel Over Woman.

MANSFIELD, O., July 28.—(Special.)—Two young men paying attention to a Shelby woman quarreled this morning at 1 o'clock at Plymouth, this county, a shooting affray resulting, in which Frank Cross, of Plymouth was shot in the groin by Frank Kubbs of Shelby. Cross is not expected to live. Kubbs and a male companion took the young woman in question and another girl out driving. When they returned after midnight Cross will beat Rayen if we have to bring the Pittsburgh National league team here to do it."

RAIDED THE FIGHT.

Brooklyn Police Arrested Principals and Spectators.

NEW YORK, July 28.—An attempt to hold a prize fight in the stove factory in the Williamsburg district, Brooklyn, last night, was prevented by the police. Fifty-seven arrests were made. William Cantlin, the aged watchman at the foundry, alleges that he was overpowered and compelled to permit the crowd to use the place.

The principals in the attempted fight were two Brooklyn featherweights—Alfred Lewis, known as "Kid" Lewis, champion of South Brooklyn, and William Dean, an amateur and a member of the Brooklyn Athletic club. The police learned that tickets were being sold and that the fight was to take place about midnight in the stove foundry. Capt. Rowes took a detail of 24 men and raided the place, capturing 57 men.

Canadian Champion Defeated.

CHICAGO, July 28.—A. C. McMasters, the Canadian tennis champion, was defeated here today in the third round in singles for the western championship. McMasters' opponent was J. J. Forstall, a local player. Forstall won the match 5-4, 6-2. W. C. Burton of Minneapolis, P. C. Hunt of California, and F. Diehl of Ohio showed such excellent form in today's play that in all probability first honors in the tournament will be captured by one of the trio.

Changes in Warren Team.

WARREN, O., July 28.—(Special.)—Leach Maskrey today resigned as manager of the Warren ball club. Hervey Leach succeeds him. First Baseman Pump succeeds Catcher Patterson as captain.

ARNOLD CHILD SAID TO HAVE BEEN SMOTHERED

Accused Parents Will Not Talk. Wife Will Follow Husband to Jail Soon.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BROWNSVILLE, PA., July 28.—The sensational Arnold case and the arrest of the young farmer on a charge of child murder, is the talk of the county today. He is in jail at Uniontown and his pretty wife will have a warrant served on her as soon as she is able to leave the farm house. The dead infant was a healthy, eight pound child. The pair had every comfort money could buy, a pretty home and a large circle of friends. Emotional insanity is the only excuse relatives and intimates can give for their alleged crime. Testimony of the physicians in court will, it is said, be that the child was smothered. Its organs were in a healthy condition. Mrs. Arnold will not talk.

UNIONTOWN, PA., July 28.—When seen at the jail here tonight, W. C. Arnold, who is accused of murdering his infant son, refused to give out any statement. He said an effort will be made by his father to get him out on bail. Arnold comes of one of the highly respected families in the county. Mrs. Arnold is but 20 years of age. The couple secured a license to wed December 31, 1902, and the marriage took place January 7, 1903. The child was born July 24. George B. Jeffries is attorney for the defense.

BIG MORTGAGE GIVEN BY PITTSBURGH CONCERN

BUTLER, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—The Manufacturers Light and Heat Company of Pittsburgh, which has valuable gas property in this county, today filed a mortgage in favor of the Union Trust Company of Pittsburgh, for $6,500,000.

Must Carry Horns.

NEW CASTLE, PA., July 28.—(Special.)—Hereafter garbage will be collected at the sound of a huge horn, according to the new bill just passed by councils. The ordinance says: warning of the approach of any collector shall be given by the blowing of a horn at each street corner and in the middle of each block.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

CORRY, PA.—Fred Koehsler, yardmaster of the Pennsylvania railroad, was run over by an engine and crushed to death.

INDIANA, PA.—Council awarded the contract for laying the mains for the new sewer system to John Hermann of Latrobe for $23,962.

CLARION, PA.—Miss Mary Edith Davis, daughter of Prof. A. J. Davis, was married to Harry E. Rough. Oscar Bateman of Pittsburgh was best man.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—A man believed to be Andrew Brindske of New Castle fell from a Baltimore & Ohio train this morning at Lowellville and was killed.

SCOTTDALE, PA.—Samuel L. Steinman, a veteran of the civil war, was run over and killed at Mullens station on the Baltimore & Ohio. He was aged 65 years.

FRANKLIN, PA.—A marriage license was issued here to Charles A. Reed of No. 4 Kearsarge street, Pittsburgh, and Henrietta E. Major of Bullion, Venango county.

MONONGAHELA, PA.—City council decided to require the Peoples Natural Gas Company to erect within two weeks lights or pay $500 to the city for the privilege of crossing Main street with its gas line.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—The engagement is announced of Miss Gale Moore, daughter of the late Samuel T. Moore of this city, and Fred E. Witherell of Pittsburgh.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—The foundrymen officially announced today that the shops in this valley will be run non-union if the molders do not accept the terms offered by them.

ALLIANCE, O.—George Rice, aged 11 years, died from injuries received while carrying pop bottles at his father's bottling works. A bottle exploded, cutting a gash in his side and one in his neck.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—At the election of a mother superior at the Ursuline convent, to succeed Mother Lawrence, Mother Joseph was selected. The former mother superior held the office for 25 years.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Miss Sarah G. Poole of Seaver has filed a suit here against the city, claiming $10,000 damages for injuries alleged to have been received by a fall on North Highland avenue a year ago.

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.—Surprise was caused here today by the announcement by County Superintendent Ogden that only one applicant for teacher's certificate at the recent examination here recently had received a No. 1 certificate.

WASHINGTON, PA.—Sixteen Italians employed on the construction of the Wabash road in Cross Creek township, were arrested charged with trespassing on the property of G. W. Lawton. It is claimed they cut timber on Lawton's property.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Chief of Police Cyrus C. Horner has received word that his brother, Merritt Horner, chief engineer of the open hearth department of the Cambria Iron Company of Johnstown, has been seriously injured by an explosion of molten metal.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O.—Announcement is made today that the Knowles Pottery company is about to move here from Newton Hamilton, Pa., and engage in the business of furnishing flint and spar to local potteries. East Liverpool men are its officers and directors.

LISBON, O.—Judge W. W. Hole dissolved an injunction secured some time ago by Monroe Patterson against the city of East Liverpool and C. A. Smith to enjoin Smith from constructing an electric line to compete with the United Power Company system in East Liverpool.

16 ARRESTS MADE FOR ADULTERATION OF MILK

State Food Agent Prosecutes Leading Dealers at Johnstown. Formaldehyde Was Used.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

JOHNSTOWN, PA., July 28.—Special Agent James Fousel of the state dairy and food commission has made informations here against a number of people for violating the pure food laws in the adulteration of milk. The prosecutions are against John Malone and John Michel, restaurateurs; William A. Zipf, Isaiah Sipe and Tony George, ice cream manufacturers, and S. L. Wright, W. A. Ribblett, A. L. Barkey, O. W. Wagner, Joseph Zimmerman, H. M. Shaver, George Hochstein, Henry J. Schmidt, Joseph Schneider, Joseph Marlin and J. A. Felix, dairymen.

These people are all charged with selling milk or the products of milk in which formaldehyde has been placed as a preservative, with the exception of Zipf, whose product was found to be watered and low in fats. All of the parties concerned are well known.

WANTED.

Always be sure to mention that you saw this adv. in the Gazette.

Agents.

AGENTS—The only authorized life of Pope Leo XIII.; written with the encouragement, approbation and blessing of his holiness, by Mgr. Bernard O'Reilly, D. D., LL. D., who for eight years lived in the vatican as domestic prelate to the pope. This distinguished American author was summoned to Rome and appointed by the pope as his official biographer; approved and recognized by Cardinal Gibbons and all church authorities as the only official biography of the pope; over 800 pages, magnificently illustrated; unparalleled opportunity for agents; best commission; elegant outfit free. The John C. Winston Co., 718 Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa.

Male Help.

BOILERMAKERS—10, and helpers, 20 coredrawers for Canada, fare paid; 200 laborers, coal mines. KEYSTONE BUREAU, 1122 Penn ave.

COLLECTOR—On newspaper subscriptions; must furnish surety bond; bring references. H. C. Rand, circulation department, The Gazette.

DENTIST—Registered dentist of experience, immediately. Address L 14, The Gazette.

EXPERIENCED stock man to take charge of woolens. M. Oppenheimer & Co., 811 Penn ave.

GARDNER—One not afraid of work; good wages to right man; state where last employed and wages required. A. Grand, Station A, General Delivery.

YOUNG men everywhere, copy letters, home evenings, $6.50 week. Send addressed envelope for particulars. Manager Dept. W 90, Box 1411, Philadelphia, Pa.

Female Help.

COPYIST—Work may be done home; $9 weekly. Address, stating qualifications, Champion Co., 1809 Fulton st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

DINING room girls, three, wages $5; also 6 for Cambridge Springs, 18 Ninth st., Pittsburgh.

GIRL for general housework; small family. Inquire at 1 Brighton ave., second door from Penn ave., E. E.

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GIRL—Experienced girl to feed job press. McFarland & Sill Liberty st.

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NURSING MOTHERS avoid weakness by using CHARTIERS VALLEY MALT EXTRACT. For sale by all druggists.

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FURNISHED FLAT—Three or four rooms and bath; convenient to street car lines. Address P 14, The Gazette.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Counter scales and butter refrigerator. George Denholm, 421 Center st., Wilkinsburg.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

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FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

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DIVIDEND.

Pittsburgh Trust Company,
Pittsburgh, July 24, 1903.

DIVIDEND NO. 25—The board of directors of this company has declared a dividend of FIVE (5) PER CENT on its capital stock out of the profits of the three months ending July 31, 1903, payable August 1, to stockholders of record July 24, 1903. Checks will be mailed. Transfer books will be closed from July 25 to 31, both inclusive.

CHAS. H. HAYS, Treasurer.

LOST.

LOST—One solitaire diamond ring, one prince's ring, set sapphire and diamonds. Liberal reward will be paid for return of said ring with two diamonds, in Fourth ave. station Tuesday evening between 4 and 4:30 o'clock. Liberal reward will be paid for their return to ticket agent at Fourth ave. station.

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No. 6806.
Treasury Department,
Office of Comptroller of the Currency,
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Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Industrial National Bank of Pittsburg," located in the city of Pittsburg, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking; now, therefore, I, William B. Ridgely, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The Industrial National Bank of Pittsburg," located in the city of Pittsburg, in the county of Allegheny, and state of Pennsylvania, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in section 5169, of the revised statutes of the United States, in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office, this first day of June, 1903.
(Signed) WM. B. RIDGELY,
(Seal.)
Comptroller of the Currency.

HENRY O. EVANS, Attorney-at-Law, 614 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania, on the 14th day of August, 1903, by Charles A. Glaser, Simpson M. Swan and S. Scougale, under the act of assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation, to be called "Brady's Bend Coal Company," the object of which is to be mining, digging and selling coal and the manufacture of coke and its by-products therefrom, and the transportation to market and the sale thereof. Thaw & Noble, attorneys for applicants.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned dealer in milk contained in bottles, doing business as John Dean, "L. X. L. Milk Depot," in the city of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, and state of Pennsylvania, has adopted for his use bottles impressed with his name and marks as follows:

All bottles marked "L. X. L. Milk Depot, John Dean," and will register the same with the secretary of the commonwealth as required by the act of assembly of May 8, 1889. John Dean, 5628 Walnut st.

C. F. & J. J. M'KENNA, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 435 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of Bridget Connolly, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Mary Connolly, executrix, No. 32 Overhill street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

JAMES M. CLARK, Attorney-at-Law, St. Nicholas Building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of S. Hay Brown, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. James M. Clark, Executor, St. Nicholas Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 8th day of August, 1903, at o'clock p. m., at the county seat, in the court common pleas No. 1, a petition for the dissolution of the Ivill Coal Company, a corporation, organized under the act of assembly approved April 29, 1874, and its supplements, with its principal office in the county of Allegheny, where its principal operations are conducted, W. O. McNary, attorney for petitioner.

J. ROBERT WRIGHT, Attorney-at-Law, No. 435 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Edward Beerman, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Emily Beerman, Administratrix, No. 313 Rebecca st., Wilk

RALLY CONTINUED IN EASTERN STOCKS

No More Failures Announced and Confidence Is Slowly Returning to Wall Street—Call Money Rates Easier.

By JOHN O. EAGLIN, Financial Editor.

There was a continuation of the rally in the eastern stock market yesterday, and despite rather heavy selling for London account, estimated as high as 50,000 shares, prices advanced. Foreign markets were adversely affected by the decline in Japanese bonds, which was thought to reflect sentiment as to the situation of affairs in China, and private advices relating to the latter from Washington represented some uneasiness prevailing there. Wall street, however, was more directly interested in its own immediate affairs, and when checks passed the clearing house all right and no more failures were announced or rumored a better feeling prevailed. Amalgamated Copper opened strong on the sharp advance in the metal in London and rose nearly 3 points to 43¼, producing a better tone among the industrials generally. American Smelting rose 2 per cent to 43, and the minor industrials were all firmer. United States Steel common opened firm at 28¾ and advanced steadily to 24¾. The preferred opened strong at 72, and after a slight reaction advanced to 73. Tennessee Coal and Iron advanced from 30½ to 40¾, and Colorado Fuel and Iron, which opened at 43½, remained dull until late in the session, when it jumped to 54 and closed at 50 bid. During the morning session the railroad list displayed some irregularity, but a little later in the session became strong and advanced sharply. Pennsylvania sold above 124, a net gain of 6 per cent from the low point touched just two weeks ago. New York Central opened at 120¾, and after reacting to 120 rose to 122¾, a considerable portion of the buying being credited to the short interest, which is believed to be quite large in this stock. In the lower-priced issues there was heavy buying of the Erie, Reading and Rock Island issues, and this department of the market was strengthened by reports that liberal private offers had been made for the holdings of some of the firms who recently suspended.

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In the afternoon a reaction occurred, during which a considerable portion of the early gains was wiped out. This reaction was due to profit-taking by buyers on the decline Monday, and to sales by professional traders who thought the recovery was too rapid. The rather heavy and persistent selling of Atchison, which carried the price down from 65 to 63¼, occurred simultaneously with active trading and advancing prices for corn, which was based upon reports of "hot winds in Kansas"—an invariable accompaniment of the market at this season. This movement undoubtedly influenced sales of other grangers, but later in the day both corn and wheat declined. The government weekly crop bulletin reported good progress of the corn crop in the northern section and the need of rain in the southern and western sections. The report was unfavorable as to spring wheat, but inasmuch as grain markets declined in the final dealings, it is a reasonable inference that in the opinion of Chicago traders nothing serious has yet occurred to the crops. The industrial stocks shared in the reaction at the close, United States Steel common selling off to 24 and the preferred to 72¼. Just before the close of the market there was a recovery in a number of stocks, and final prices showed slight but general net gains for the day.

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Call money was easier, the rate declining from 2½ per cent to 1 per cent at the close, on heavy offerings by brokers. Many of the latter had provided themselves with time loans carrying them over the end of the year. The extensive liquidation has greatly reduced the amount of stocks carried by brokers, and has left them with unemployed funds which they seek to loan on call. It was reported that the Pennsylvania railroad was paying off $20,000,000 of its loan yesterday which would add to the available supply. While time money remained firm there is now very little apprehension as to the future of the money market, and if the stock market relapses into the dullness which everybody is predicting, the demand for money for the use of stock market operators this fall will be lighter than at any corresponding time for two years. There was very little influential news during the day; in fact the improvement in the market was due mainly to the absence of unfavorable news in connection with brokerage houses. Confidence is slowly returning to the street, but no one is at this time indulging in hopes of a substantial bull market.

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Dealings were light on the local stock board yesterday, but the tone of the market was firmer and closing prices almost invariably show net gains. The most active stock was Pittsburgh Coal common, which rallied to and closed at 26¼ sales and bid. The preferred stock rallied ⅝ to 84¾ sales and bid. Predictions were made—which, however, were lacking in specifications—that this stock would sell much higher, and it is known that on the recent decline there was heavy buying, much larger than appeared on the exchange. River Coal common remained unchanged at 10¼, but the preferred recovered to 38½ on light transactions. The steel stocks were quieter than for some days past but the tone was strong. The largest advance was in Crucible Steel preferred, which sold at 75, an advance of 3 per cent over the low point of Monday, closing at 73¾, a net gain of 1¾ per cent for the day. The common stock advanced to and closed at 12. Manufacturers Light and Heat was also fairly active and strong, rallying to 35, a net advance of 1¾. Philadelphia Company recovered to 40½ and closed at 40, a gain of nearly a point. There were no transactions in Ohio Fuel Supply, but the stock closed firm at 39 bid. Westinghouse Electric rallied 2 points to 87, but reacted to 86. Westinghouse Air Brake sold at 153 and later advanced to 154. National Fire Proofing stocks were dull but firmer, the common advancing to 22¼ and the preferred to 38¼. Pittsburgh Brewing common rallied to 31½, while the preferred remained dull and unchanged at 46.

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The banking and trust company group again remained extremely dull, the only transaction being a small lot of Iron City Trust which sold at 144, a decline of a dollar a share. American Trust was offered lower at 470 and closed without bid. Federal National was nominally quoted at 158 bid, 160 asked. Commonwealth Trust was quoted at 220 bid, 228 asked. The only transaction in bonds was $1,000 Philadelphia Company 5s at 110, unchanged from the last previous sale. The general market closed dull, but with a generally firm tone.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Transactions on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday aggregated 6,052 shares stock, $1,000 bond and $75 warrants. Sales:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

400 Crucible	11¾	25 Fire Proofing	22
50 W. Airbrake	154	30 Brewing pfd	46
12 do	154	45 U. S. Steel	24
6 do	154	100 do	24
15 Crucible pfd	73½	20 U. S. Sc'l pfd	73¾
10 Phila. Co	40	10 Riv. Coal pfd	38¼
100 M. L. & H	33¼		

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

5 Pgh. Ins	117	50 Pgh. Coal pfd	83½
10 Fire Proofing	22¼	25 do	84
200 R. Coal pfd	38¼	25 do	84
50 Crucible	12	20 do	84
12 Crucible pfd	74	125 do	84
20 do	74	75 do	84
8 do	74	25 do	85
25 do	74	1 Iron City Tr	144
15 do	74	20 do	144
100 do	74¾	5 do	144
10 do	74¾	50 W. Airbrake	153
21 do	75	100 Brewing	31¾
5 do	75	50 do	31¾
42 Pgh. Coal	26¾	50 U. S. Sc'l pfd	72½
50 do	26½	55 do	73¼
100 do	26½	5 U. S. Steel	24¼
300 do	26¾	25 do	24¼
275 W. E. war	61	10 do	24½
250 River Coal	10¼	10 do	24½
40 M. L. & H	33¾	10 do	24½
20 do	34	5 Fire P. pfd	37½
10 do	34½	15 do	38
50 do	34½	30 do	33½
31 do	34¾	20 do	33½
12 do	35¼	26 do	36½
10 do	35¾	45 Electric 2ds	86½
55 do	35	10 do	86½
3 do	35	15 do	87
20 do	34¾	5 do	86¾
10 F. Coal pfd	83¾	5 do	86¾
1 do	83¾		

2:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

500 Pgh. Coal	26½	100 Electric 2ds	86
4 M. L. & H	34¾	50 do	86
50 do	34½	10 do	86
5 do	35	100 do	86
40 do	35	50 Pgh. Coal pfd	84
55 do	35	25 Fire Proofing	22¾
55 do	35	10 do	22¾
1 do	35	100 Phila. Co	40¼
50 do	35	60 do	40¾
20 do	35	20 do	40
5 Crucible pfd	75	20 Fire P. pfd	38½
10 do	75	15 Crucible	12
10 do	74¾	15 do	12
45 Electric 2ds	86½	10 do	12
10 do	86½	10 U. S. Steel	24½
50 do	86¾	26 do	24¾

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

5 U. S. S. pfd	73	100 U. S. Sc'l com	24¾
200 do	72½	50 Brewing	31¾
15 do	72¾	50 do	31¾
100 do	72¾	$10000 Phil. 1d 5s	110
30 do	72¾	10 Electric 2ds	86¼
20 do	72¾	5 do	86¼
100 W. E. war	60	15 do	86
100 do	60	50 Pgh. Coal pf	84½
100 do	60	25 do	84¾
160 do	60	2 W. Airbrake	154
200 do	60	12 do	155
10 U. S. Steel	24¼	15 M. L. & H.	35
20 do	24½	15 do	35

Summary.

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last Sale	Chge.
250	Brewing	31½	31¼	31¾	+¼
50	Do pfd	46	46	46	0
465	Crucible Steel	12	11¾	12	+¼
506	Do pfd	75	73½	74¾	+1¾
70	Fire Proofing	22¼	22	22¼	+¼
105	Do pfd	38¼	33½	33½	+½
744	M. L. & H	35	33½	35	+1¾
260	Phila. Co. com	40¼	40	40	+¼
1192	Pitts. Coal	26¼	26¾	26½	+¼
463	Do pfd	84½	83½	84½	+⅝
250	River Coal	10¾	10¼	10¼	0
210	Do pfd	38½	38¼	38½	+½
460	U. S. Steel	24¾	24	24¼	+¼
490	Do pfd	73	72	72⅝	+1⅜
133	W. Airbrake	154	153	154	0
535	W. Elec. 2ds	87	86	86	+1
35	Iron City Trust	144	144	144	—1
5	Pitts. Insur	117	117	117	....
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BONDS.

$1,000	Phila. Co. 5s	110	110	110	0
875	W. Elec. 5s	61	60	60	+2

*Five shares only.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par	Bid	Ask.
Pittsburgh Banks.			
Allegheny National	50	....	150
Duquesne National	100	....	290
Exchange National	50	88	90
Federal National	100	150	160
Fifth National	100	120	....
Fifth Avenue	50	73	....
United States National	100	....	150
Trust Companies.			
American Trust	100	....	470
Prudential Trust	100	....	150
Commonwealth Trust	100	220	228
Allegheny City Banks.			
Allegheny Trust Co	100	....	150
Dollar Sav. Fund & Trust Co	100	336	340
Second National	100	370	390

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges were $3,617,351, an increase of $2,000,000.

Stock exchange sales, 6,052 shares stock, $1,000 bond and 375 warrants.

Pittsburgh Coal common rallied to 26¼ and the preferred to 84¾.

Manufacturers Gas rallied to 35 and Philadelphia Company to 40.

Crucible Steel common advanced to 12 and the preferred to 75.

United States Steel common rallied to 24¾ and the preferred to 72½.

IN WALL STREET.

Total sales for the day, 636,000 shares.

The market became generally strong after the opening, but the important part of the day's gains were wiped out before the close.

New York Central was the conspicuous leader in the advance and the buying sentiment affected the Pennsylvania.

Colorado Fuel shot up six points on the report of acquiring new property.

Active bond issues were generally decidedly strong, but there were some wide concessions in the marketing of inactive bonds. Total sales, $3,485,000, par value. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Natural Gas			
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	34½	34⅞
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	39	....
Mining.			
Luster	10	....	10
Electric Light			
Westinghouse 2d pfd	50	85¾	86½
Miscellaneous.			
Crucible Steel Co	100	11¾	12
Do preferred	100	74¾	74⅞
Marsden	100	11	12
National Fire Proof	50	22½	22¾
Do preferred	50	33¾	38½
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	153	154

UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Miscellaneous.			
American Window Glass pfd	100	....	79
Monongahela River Coal	50	10¼	....
Do preferred	50	37½	38½
Pittsburgh Brewing Co	50	31¾	....
Do preferred	50	45¾	46
Pittsburgh Coal Co	100	26¼	26¾
Do preferred	100	84¾	....
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co	100	126	....
Pgh. Stow & Range pfd	50	16½	....
United States Steel	100	24¾	24¾
Do preferred	100	72¼	72½

BONDS.	Exp.	Bid.	Ask.
Miscellaneous.			
Monongahela River Coal 6s	1949	113½	....
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	1949	110½	111¾
W. & E. P. St. Ry. 5s	1930	....	100

Small Investor Buying.

A member of the Pittsburgh stock exchange who has not for several years handled any margin business, said yesterday: "I have executed more buying orders during the past four days than in all the preceding four weeks. All the purchases are paid for outright, and the orders have included stocks selling below 20 and above 120. The latter were bought for the dividends they pay, and the low-priced stocks for the prospect of an advance of 10 or 20 points within the next year or two. I have customers who in 1898 bought Baltimore & Ohio, Atchison, Rock Island, Northern Pacific and Southern Railway common around 10. In 1900 they had more than doubled their money. I do not look for such opportunities in the present market, but some of the low-priced industrial issues are almost certain to double their present market value within the next two years."

A dispatch from New York yesterday to a local house stated that one of the prominent features of the market was the buying of odd lots by small investors who pay outright for stocks.

Firmer Iron Market.

It was reported that a large local consumer of bar iron yesterday closed an order for 1,500 tons on a basis of 1.8c. This is an advance over recent quotations, and indicates a firmer tone to the market.

Rumors About Pittsburgh Coal.

The largest dealings in the local market yesterday were in Pittsburgh Coal common, which advanced to and closed at 26¼. The rise was accompanied by several rumors of a pending deal for changing control of the company. It was reported that private transactions had taken place which equaled in size those on the exchange, but that they were based exclusively on the increased earnings of the company.

Worrying the Bears.

There was evidence of a purpose in Wall street yesterday to drive in the bears in the calling in of stock loaned for delivery on short contracts, and in the character of some of the rumors which were set afloat. There was a report of a private settlement between the Union Pacific interest and those of last week's failed Texas banking house of large holdings of Southern Pacific and a resumption by the firm. This was denied when the Union Pacific directors assembled to declare the regular dividends. Toledo, St. Louis & Western was reported to have passed to Grand Trunk control. An offer of 50 for Evansville & Terre Haute control was alleged to have been made by an anonymous bidder. Colorado Fuel was said to have acquired the Utah Iron Company, and its price shot up nearly a dozen points. The other stories were effective in varying degree in causing sharp bidding for the stock. The renewal of the steel billet pool seemed to be hopefully regarded among iron and steel company shareholders and stocks of that group were quite generally strong.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

American Trust was yesterday offered at 470. The decline and the absence of bid or supporting orders are a subject of comment by subscribers who paid $500 a share for the new stock.

There have been no bids on Union Switch & Signal for several days. It is currently reported that a few large insiders were compelled to take the bulk of the recent stock offered for subscription at $70 a share.

The Union Pacific directors yesterday declared the regular semi-annual dividends of 2 per cent each on the common and preferred.

Union Natural Gas was offered on the local board at 102.

Mr. R. A. Orr of Robinson & Orr, will sail from New York tomorrow for Europe.

Colonial National Bank stock was quoted at 122½ bid, 130 asked. Colonial Trust was offered at 550.

Five shares of Pittsburgh Insurance sold yesterday at 117, the first public transaction in the stock on the local exchange.

There was considerable activity in Westinghouse Electric warrants yesterday, sales being at 61 to 69, the latter a net advance of 2 per cent.

Standard Oil stock advanced 20 points yesterday to 620 and closed at 615 bid. The sales reached 60 shares.

United States Steel new 5s opened at 79¼ and advanced to 80¼.

A story was current in Wall street that part of the buying of New York Central was for account of the Vanderbilts, who were waking up to a realisation that Rockefeller interest in the stock was an important factor.

A jump of 10 points in Colorado Fuel & Iron late in the day when the rest of the list was declining was a feature of the eastern market.

Southern Pacific advanced two points on rumors of a large transfer of stock at private sale to Union Pacific interests.

A rumor was current of the early retirement of Reading seconds and the declaration of a dividend on the common.

Morgan brokers were credited with buying United States Steel preferred.

The belief in Wall street is that the banks will gradually liquidate the loans of the failed firms and will not continue their ruinous Saturday's policy of making forced sales.

"I never had any idea," said a room trader yesterday, "how widely the United States Steel issues were distributed until the sharp break occurred in these stocks last week. It seems that every Dutchman in the land, and some of the common stock, bought at prices ranging between 30 and 50. I dropped into my dentist's office this morning. He had hardly started to examine my teeth before he asked my opinion on the United States Steel corporation. He said he owned 125 shares of the common stock, which he had bought at 35. The barber that shaves me every morning asked me yesterday what I thought of the United States Steel corporation. He owns 25 shares which he had bought at 40. The conductor on the train which I ride on every morning owns 50 shares, which he said he had bought at 42. I have had at least a dozen bankers and brokers during the last few days what I thought of the United States Steel corporation. Out of curiosity I asked if they owned any of the stock. Every one of them owned some of the common stock, most of them having paid more than 40 for it. My greatest surprise, however, occurred last night. After dinner I was in the library reading the last account of Taylor's failure. My wife came into the room, and I knew at once she had something to tell me. After beating around the bush for awhile she asked me if I thought the common stock of the United States Steel corporation was going to decline much lower. Of course, you can guess the rest. She had bought 75 shares at 50. And I didn't even make the commission on it."—N. Y. Commercial.

When the danger signals have been disregarded, the market has run off the track, and a crash has taken place, then is the time for criticism. The mischief has been done, and nothing is to be gained by waving a red light of alarm at such a time. What is needed, then, is some force to replace the wreck, restore the track to order, open again the channels of prosperity, and get the train to running. In other words, in a time of a market upheaval, when the fears of the people are aroused, then is the time when everybody should seek to restore confidence. He who has performed the valuable service of raising the danger signals, long in advance of the wreck, will now be foremost in the labor of repairing the damage for the future. Things are never as bad as they seem, and he who seeks to restore confidence at the time when there is a prevailing atmosphere of alarm, is not necessarily "bolstering up the market," or "trying to make things appear different than they are," but are endeavoring to divert the minds of those who are controlled by their fears, away from those features of the situation which belong to the past, are no longer vital, and towards those features which belong to the future, and which work for the upbuilding of confidence and prosperity. —Wall Street Journal.

The time money market was reported appreciably easier in the east and some long time loans on selected collaterals were reported to have been negotiated below 6 per cent. Sanguine hopes were expressed of a strong bank statement on next Saturday.

THE MONEY MARKET

The local money market remains firm and unchanged at 6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$ 8,817,351 10	$1,090,401 55
This week	16,576,107 53	1,720,871 21
Last year	6,500,524 97	429,970 53

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $226,667,889; gold, $60,434,685; silver, $20,437,856; United States notes, $11,091,875; total receipts of the day, $14,206; national bank notes, $15,614,810; total receipts this day, $1,167,110; total receipts this month, $42,823,025; total receipts this year, $42,823,025; total expenditures this day, $1,170,000; total expenditures this month, $31,160,000; total expenditures this year, $31,160,000; deposits in national banks, $135,783,699.

Call Money Easy.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Money on call easy; lowest, 1 per cent; highest, 2; ruling rate 1½, last loan 1½, closing 1 per cent. Time money slightly easier, 60 days, 4@4½ per cent; 90 days, 4@4½ per cent, six months, 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange, 485.80@485.85 for demand, and at 483.60 for 60 days' bills; posted rates, 484½ @4 85 and 4.87@4.87½. Commercial bills, 4 83¾. Bar silver, 54¼c. Mexican dollars, 42½c. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds irregular.

Foreign Quotations.

LONDON, July 28.—Money, 2@2½ per cent. The discount for short bills is 2 7-16@2½ per cent; three months bills is 2 7-16@2½ per cent; Consols for money, 86 5-16; Consols for account, 91 3-16. The amount of bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England today was $100,000.

PARIS, July 28.—Three per cent Rentes, 97 francs 45 centimes for account. Exchange on London francs 13½ centimes for checks.

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—Total payment by government to New York banks for the week ending July 28 were: Banks to Government $3,824,000, balance on the day's transactions $161,000 paid by banks to government. Total net payment by government to banks since Friday $799,000 against $1,185,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago.

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchange, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

STOCKS. Sales.		Open.	High.	Low.	Close
30300	A. T. & S. F.	64⅝	65	63¾	63
500	Do preferred	96	96	95¾	95⅝
	Am. Cotton Oil	31	31	30¾	30
	Do preferred			84	84
8400	Am. Sugar Ref	116½	117⅜	116	116
	Do preferred	118½	119¾	118½	118
1300	Am. Locomotive	35¾	36	35¾	35¾
900	Do preferred	93¾	94½	93	93½
1200	Am. Car Foundry	38	38¾	37¾	37¾
350	Do preferred	83½	85	83½	85
	American Cot.				39
	Do preferred				87
31636	Amal. Copper	40⅞	43¾	40⅞	41⅝
2165	Anaconda Copper	72	74	72	72
6273	A., Orient. & W	41¾	43	41	42⅜
674	Do preferred	91	91	91	91
	American Ice	6	6¼	6	6¼
	Do preferred	23½	24¼	23½	23¾
18785	Baltimore & Ohio	82¾	85¼	82¾	84¾
3645	Brooklyn R. T.	64	65¾	64	65¼
8825	Brooklyn R. T.	64	66¾	64	64¾
6100	Canadian Pacific	123¼	123¾	122½	122½
4889	Chi. Great West.	15¼	15¾	14¾	15¼
50	Consolidated Gas	198	198	194½	194½
856	C. C. C. & St. L.	73	73	72	72
3110	Ches. & Ohio	32¾	33¼	32¾	33
2200	Chicago & Alton	37	37	36¾	36¾
150	Do preferred	74	74	74	74
1130	Chicago & N. W.	164½	165¾	164½	165
200	Col. Fuel & Iron	43½	54	43½	50
	Corn Product	26¾	27	26¾	26¾
	Do preferred				75
1275	Col. Sou.	24	24¾	23¾	24
1580	Do 1st pfd	59	61½	59	61
1800	Do 2d pfd	20¾	22¾	20¾	22
	D., L. & W.				400
800	Del. & Hudson	165	166	165	164½
33620	Erie	28¾	29¾	28¾	29¾
14360	Do 1st pfd	47⅞	48¾	47⅝	48¾
6800	Do 2d pfd	41⅞	42¼	41⅞	42¼
2300	Great Northern pfd	152½	153¼	152½	153
830	Hocking Valley	73	73	72¾	73
	Do preferred				87
2411	Illinois Central	131	133¾	131	132
2438	Lake Erie & W.	29	29	28½	28½
2197	Do preferred	85	85	84	84
2720	Internat. Paper	11¾	11¾	11	11
	Do preferred				34¾
3100	Internat. Power	14	14	13¾	13¾
	L. E. & W.				100
3100	Louis. & Nash	164	165	163½	164¾
4429	Manhattan	132	133¾	131¾	132¾
1800	Memorial Pacific	96¾	97	96¾	96¾
2050	M., K. & T. pfd	41¾	42¾	41¾	42¾
1299	Metropolitan	116¾	118¾	116¾	117
	Mexican Central	14¾	14¾	13¾	13¾
700	National Lead	13¾	14	13¾	13¾
	Do preferred				100
	National Biscuit				43
	Do preferred				100
20220	N. Y. Central	120¾	122¾	120	122¾
	N. Y., Ont. & W.	41¾	42¾	41¾	42¾
5675	N. Y., O. & W.	27¾	28¾	27¾	28¾
5200	Norfolk & West	62	63¾	62	63¾
	Do preferred				84
4400	North American	73	75	72¾	74¾
	Omaha				139
2950	People Gas	94¾	95¾	94¾	95¾
1100	Pacific Mail	21	21	21	21
1150	Pressed Steel Car				39
580	P. S. Car	44¼	44¾	44	44
125	Do preferred	83	83	83	83
57035	Penna. R. R	122¾	124¾	122¾	124¾
400	C., C., & St. L	65¾	66	65	65
	Do preferred				100
	Railway Springs				30
	Do preferred	83	83	83	83
29600	Reading	44¾	46¾	44¾	46¾
250	Do 1st pfd	81¾	81¾	81¾	81¾
300	Do 2d pfd	68¾	68¾	67¾	67¾
18780	Rock Island	23¾	24¾	23¾	24¾
1000	Do preferred	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾
1600	Republic Iron	12	12¾	11¾	12¾
800	Do preferred	67	69	67	69
	St. L. & S. F. 1st				65
3250	St. L. & S. F. 2d	49	50¾	49	49¾
44350	Southern Pacific	43¾	45¾	43¾	45¾
10220	Southern Ry	21	22¾	20¾	22¾
355	Do preferred	85¾	86¾	85¾	86¾
25515	St. Paul	141¾	142¾	141	142¾
310	Do preferred				175
200	St. L. & S. W.	14	14¾	14	14¾
950	Do preferred	22	23	22	23
3210	Texas & P.	28¾	29¾	28¾	29¾
12960	Toledo, St. L. & W.	24¾	25¾	24¾	25¾
1310	T., St. L. & W.	18¾	19¾	18¾	19¾
6500	Do preferred	37¾	39¾	37¾	39¾
20834	U. S. Steel	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
35350	Do preferred	72¾	73¾	72¾	73¾
27153	Union Pacific	85¾	87¾	85¾	87¾
110	Do preferred	85¾	85¾	85¾	85¾
1422	U. S. Rubber	10¾	11¾	10¾	11¾
1100	U. S. Leather	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
1060	Do preferred	80¾	80¾	80	79¾
	U. S. R. & Cons	11¾	11¾	10¾	11¾
	Do preferred	31¾	32	31¾	31¾
800	Wabash	23¾	24¾	23¾	24¾
6950	Do preferred	47¾	48¾	47¾	48¾
100	Western Union	83½	83½	83½	83½
100	W. & L. E.	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
	Do 1st pfd	71¾	71¾	71¾	71¾
	Do 2d pfd	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾
1340	Wisconsin Cent	18¾	18¾	17¾	17¾
810	Do preferred	37¾	38¼	37¾	37¾

INACTIVE LIST.

100	Allis. Chal. Co	13	13	13
200	A. Hide & Leath	4	4	4

CLOSING BOND PRICES.

U. S. reg. 2s, reg	106½	Do 3d, reg	107
Do coupon	106¾	Do 3d, c	107
U. S. new 4s, reg	136½	Do 4th, reg	107
Do coupon	137	Do 4th, c	107
U. S. old 4s, reg	111	North. Pac. 4s	102½
Do coupon	111	Do 3s	73¾
U. S. 5s, reg	109½	N. & W. Con. 4s	97
Do coupon	109½	Reading Gen. 4s	94
Atchison Gen. 4s	97¾	Rock Isl. Ark. 5s	102
Do 4s	97¾	St. L. & S. F. 4s	95
Balt. & O. 4s	100¾	St. L. & S. W. 1st	97
Do 3½s	90	Do 2d	71
Can. Sou. 2ds	107½	South. Pac. 4s	85¾
Cent. of Ga. 5s	110½	Southern Ry. 5s	116
Do 1st Inc	80	Term. & Pac. 1st	114¾
Do 2d Inc	34	Union Pac. 4s	104
C. & A. 4s	102½	Union Pacific 4s	104
C. B. & Q. new 4s	93¾	Do Conv. 4s	97½
C. M. & St. P. 5s	130½	Wabash 1sts	114
C. M. & St. P. 4s	102½	Do 2ds	104
C. R. I. & P. 4s	96¾	Do Deb. B	69
C. & E. Ill. 6s	95	W. Shore 4s	117
Chi. Term 4s	93½	W. & L. E. 4s	97
Chi. & Alton 3½s	84¾	Wisconsin Cent. 4s	93
D. & R. G. 4s	93¾	Va. Centuries	90
Erie prior lien 4s	96¾	Col. Fuel Gen. 5s	93¾
Do General 4s	83	F. W. & Den. 1st	70
F. W. & R. G. 1st	90	Rock Island 4s	75
Hock. Val. 4½s	104	Penna. 3½s	96¾
L. & N. unif. 4s	95¾	Mex. Cen. Gold 4s	100¾
Mex. Central 4s	71¾		

*Offered.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

American Can	4¾	Mexican Central	13¾
Do preferred	28	N. Am. Gas 5s	104½
Amer. Ice, R. R.	4	North Securities	85¾
Amer. Ice, R. R. pfd	25	N. Y. Elec. V. T.	4¾
Brit. Colum. Cop.	2¾	Ohio Electric	20
Brooklyn Ferry	4	Do preferred	87
Electric Boat Co.	15	Roy. B. Pow. pfd.	60¾
Do preferred	30	Seaboard Air Line	19
Electric Vehicle	6½	Do preferred	45
Do preferred	9	Standard Oil	615
Greene Cons. Cop.	18¾	Tennessee Copper	25
Havana Tobacco	12¾	Union Copper	7
International Salt	7¾	White Knob Cop.	9¾

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Penna. R. R.	60	Phila. Electric	9¾
Phila. Traction	94¾	United Gas Impt.	86¾
Union Traction	42¾	Welsbach	18
Elec. & Peo. 4s	98½	Cambria Steel Co.	22¾
Lehigh Valley	58½	Leh. Co. of Amer.	74
Cons. Lake Superior	2	American Ice	4¾
Do preferred	8	Phila. Co.	39
Storage	3	Do 5s	88
Marsden	14¾	Railways Gen.	3¾

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	63¾	Mexican Central	13¾
Do preferred	89¾	American Sugar	116
Boston & Albany	245	Do preferred	118½
Boston & Maine	179	Amer. Tel. & Tel.	151¾
Boston Elevated	152	Mass. Gas	43¾
N. Y., N. H. & H.	196	United Fruit	99
Fitchburg pfd	132	U. S. Steel	24
Union Pacific	75	Do preferred

ALLEGHENY PLOT SOLD FOR $88,500

John Dunlap Property in Perrysville Avenue Bought by Park Land Company.

BOULEVARD DEAL CLOSED

Sale of $54,000 in Sixth Avenue Causes Lively Spurt in Prices—P. & L. E. Railroad Employes Form Land Company—Other New Realty Concerns.

The John Dunlap property of 20 acres, the largest and finest plot of frontage left in Perrysville avenue, has been sold to the Park Land Company for $88,500. H. W. Watkins and John T. Textor, of the Real Estate Savings and Trust Company of Allegheny, negotiated the deal, title to the property having been secured from over a dozen heirs of John Dunlap. The property is on the east side of Perrysville avenue, almost across the street from the Hunter residence and the Gusky orphanage, at the entrance to Riverview park. It fronts 500 feet in Perrysville avenue and runs along Dunlap avenue 1,400 feet, to East street, where it measures about 600 feet. The plot is vacant and lies on a sort of tableland about eight feet above Perrysville avenue, sloping gently to the east. The purchasing company is composed of a syndicate of capitalists from Allegheny, Brighton, Butler and Evans City. Surveys are already being made preparatory to laying out a 40-foot street through the property, east and west, and plotting the land in 50-foot lots. The front of the plot will be terraced and the entire property graded at once. This, with the usual street improvements, is expected to cost $10,000. The location of the property, in the center of the best residence part of Perrysville avenue, and the advantage it will derive from the improved car service in East street, makes it one of the most desirable for high-class lots that has been opened for years.

Boulevard Plot at $6,000 an Acre.

Through W. B. Rain of Gault & Giffen the final details have been arranged in the sale of boulevard frontage referred to in The Gazette yesterday, the amount involved being $38,000. The property consists of 23 acres in the Twenty-second ward and was bought from Mrs. Jane T. McElroy, for $6,000 an acre. It lies on both sides of the Beechwood boulevard, where it has a total frontage of 2,400 feet, and also fronts 1,200 feet in Saline avenue. The upper end of the property is a little north of Bellefield avenue, and is the old residence of Frank McCann and the Thomas Weller property, and directly across Saline avenue are the properties of P. D. Callery and John Dunnell. C. Burkhardt, president of the Keystone Realty Company, is the purchaser, having secured the plot in the interest of a company which is forming to develop it. At present it is unplatted, but it will shortly be plotted into 50-foot lots, provided with 60-foot cross streets and sewers, sidewalks, pavements and gas and water connections. The purchase is regarded as a most opportune investment in view of the rapid sale of choice lots on the boulevard district this summer, and the big improvements that are promised.

Sixth Avenue Developments.

Through the C. H. Wanner Company Nos. 518-522 Sixth avenue, has been sold to James Francis Burke for $54,000. It belonged to Mary Mosser and is situated on the east side of this avenue, between Wylie and Webster avenues. The lot measures 42x80 feet, so that the property stands the purchaser $1,286 a front foot. The building, which is 20x90, may be taken as the value of the realty, as the buildings on the lot consist of a two-story brick court of little value. A ground rent of $100 a year is included in the purchase.

The transaction is significant and shows the chances that are still to be found all over the downtown district for profitable investment in Grant street. Next door this property is held at $3,000 a front foot. Around the corner from the Hepler lot, in Webster avenue, $2,000 a front foot is asked for the lot. Better improvements than the proposed extension of the Grant boulevard from Seventh avenue down to Webster avenue and thence to Grant street to connect with Virgin alley, is sure to help matters much. Another promised improvement is the widening of Sixth avenue from Grant street to Sixth avenue. That these changes are confidently expected is shown by the action of the congregation of the Zion Evangelical church, Monday night, in refusing the offer of $50,000 which has been made for their property, and joining the Hepler lot in Sixth avenue. They voted to jump the price to $60,500 for the lot, which is 40x80 feet, although they had previously considered the first offer very favorable.

A. P. & L. E. Land Company.

An innovation in realty corporations has just applied for a state charter, under the title of the Erie Land Company. The incorporators are E. H. Kennedy, assistant auditor of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, and H. W. Smith and W. W. Nesbam, clerks in the same company. With these men are associated seven other employes of the company, and the number of applications now received indicate that the land company will soon number 100 of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie employes. The capital of the company will be nominal at first, but it is soon to be increased to $50,000, probably. The scheme originated in the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie offices, where the employes felt that the best way they could establish a saving fund among their own number was to organize a land company and deal in real estate. Improved properties will be bought in at low figures and later on suburban property may be bought for development.

The Haller-Diebert Real Estate Company is another concern with a nominal capital, that has applied for a charter. The members of the company are H. B. Haller and S. R. Dibert, who started in the real estate business in Baum street, East End, one year ago, under the style of Haller & Dibert, and George E. Peebles.

New Company in Fourth Avenue.

The Iron City Realty Company is after a charter to be granted to the following persons: M. C. Harrison, D. S. Kays and Clark D. Beggs, all of Crafton. The company will have a capital of $5,000 at the start, which is to be increased to $50,000. Offices will be opened at 537 Fourth avenue, as soon as the charter is secured, and a general real estate and mortgage business will be conducted.

The Northern Trust Company, which was announced in May, has secured its charter. The company has a capital of $150,000 and has taken over the real estate business of L. A. Clark & Co.

Golden & Crick have the contract from Architect Edward Stotz for the erection of the warehouse of W. Gilmore & Co., in the rear of their present establishment, in Seventh avenue. It will be a seven-story fireproof structure, 73x90 feet. Work will be started at once.

Junilla street: A. C. McComb & Co. sold for Mary R. Toran to Jane McCann, an improved property, 24x100 feet, on the south side of Dwight alley, near John street, Thirteenth ward, for $4,200.

South Side: J. F. Keil sold to the Birmingham Insurance Company an improved lot, 24x120 feet, on the southeast side of Sidney street, near Eighteenth street, Twenty-sixth ward, for $8,250.

Good Sale on the Hill.

Webster avenue: Maud C. DiCarlo sold to Jacob Silvergorst an improved lot, 26x94 feet, on the south side of Webster avenue, near Logan street, Seventh ward, for $6,800.

Kelly street: Angelo F. Bidwell sold to Robert J. Bryson an improved lot, 25x135 feet, on the north side of Kelly street, near Dallas avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $4,000.

Daizell avenue: Thomas O'Donnell sold for A. L. McLaughlin to A. J. Diebold one of his new reception halls, brick houses on the south side of Daizell avenue, near the Beechwood boulevard, for $5,500. The purchaser will occupy the house.

A permit was granted yesterday to the Pittsburgh Golf club for a basement extension to the club house in Northumberland avenue, Twenty-second ward, to cost $3,000.

The following building permits were issued in Allegheny yesterday: A. F. Schwerd, two-story and attic brick veneer dwelling, Shady avenue, to cost $5,000; F. J. Kleber, two-story and attic brick veneer dwelling, Kleber avenue, to cost $5,000; O. C. Greenwall, two-story and attic frame dwelling, East street, to cost $1,700.

Transfers Recorded.

Beggs Jno E to H Hubbard, July 17, '03, Avalon, 100x100, Florence ave....$ 4,600
Packer Redman Land Co to S Topolyavski, July 23, '03, N Braddock, 25x112, Electric ave..... 350
East Pgh B & L A to Helen Fyfe, May 20, '03, Turtle Creek, 50x30, Wilber ave..... 2,000
Simon G D to J E Carpenter, June 8, '03, 21st wd, Pgh, 35x90, McPherson st 6,300
Gross Augusta to M H Haller, June 24, '03, 16th wd, Pgh, 20x80, Pearl st.... 2,450
Bankard J T to A M McCoy, Oct 23, '03, Mifflin twp, lot 96x100..... 800
Donovon J F to Geo Schaffer, Jan 20, '03, N Braddock, 25x100, Twp road... 1,100
Schneider J H to O C Reeger, July 27, '03, 10th wd, Ally, 23x100, Spring st. 1,025
Rothermel Ann to Mitchfield Jr, June 24, '03, Braddock, 25x100, Talbot ave.... 2,700
Cover S C to D T Riffle, July 15, '03, 25th wd, Pgh, 50x100, Coverdale st.... 1,250
Harris Geo A to E Bradley, July 10, '03, Stowe twp, 10 lots, 4 ac, 8th ave. 4,000
Aul Sarah to M E Riffle, July 14, '03, L St Clair twp, 5 lots..... 4,500
McDonald Geo T to same, July 14, '03, L St Clair twp, lot..... 500
Horne Geo G to H T Healey, April 1, '03, West Homestead, 25x123, 8th ave 1,500
Baldwin F E to H T Healey, April 20, '03, West Homestead, 25x140, 8th ave. 2,000
Mattock M C to Geo Schaffer, July 7, '03, N Braddock, 50x100, Bessemer st. 900
Same to Mike Fenest, July 1, '03, N Braddock, 25x98, Bessemer st..... 400
Snow M M to Jane McCann, July 29, '03, 1st wd, Ally, 20x100, Rebecca st.... 2,200

Shaw Mary C to M B P Kelly, July 17, '03, 22d wd, Pgh, 2 acres..... 50,879
Waterman W W to Jno A Wieland, July 13, '03, Baldwin twp, 55x132, Middle st 600
Best Emilie to M Brozinski, July 22, '03, Homestead, 42x66, Sixteenth ave.... 2,600
Paine Robt T Jr to G W Klotzbaugh, Nov 22, '02, Chartiers twp, lot, Stratford ave..... 350
Lillegrew W T to C H Waterhouse, July 10, '03, 18th wd, Pgh, 78x100, Jancey st..... 4,000
Dell W G to L P Dodge, July 27, '03, Homestead, 20x55, Third ave..... 1,900
Thornburg Land to to W K Porter, July 17, '03, Robinson twp, 25x125, Cornell st..... 750
Hutchinson C H to Jones Thomas, July 11, '03, 10th wd, McKeesport, 26 ft, Erie st..... 2,350
Frantz Ida M to H D Pittock, June 8, '03, 10th wd, McKeesp't, 25x120, Ann st..... 2,300
McKibbon J to C Garster, July 15, '03, Aspinwall, 104x25, Third st..... 3,300
Vaux Geo H to S Arnold, July 13, '03, 23d wd, Pgh, 25x90, Melbourne st.... 500
Knab G F to Homestead Saving Co, June 27, '03, Homestead, 15x107, Sixth ave..... 2,200
McCleary Geo M to A Franklin, June 24, '03, 5th wd, McKeespt, 50x25, Evans ave..... 3,400
Bourke Jno to M Walkerman, Mch 25, '03, Crafton, 40x97, Prather ave..... 1,200
Clark J W to A C Clark, July 2, '03, 15th wd, Pgh, lot 20x100..... 1,200
Koser G M to Wm Sheaffer, July 15, '03, 20th wd, Pgh, 30x158, Ellsworth ave..... 12,000
Kelly T & Tr Co to J Loudermilk, July 2, '03, Wilkinsburg, 33x122, Wallace ave..... 1,000
Bruner P R to J F Legard, July 18, '03, Sheraden, 40x90, Fourth avenue..... 2,350
Havens Geo H to J K Kelly, July 9, '03, 9th wd, Pgh, 20x50, Pike st..... 3,500
Newton Wm to Elizabeth Hetzel, June 22, '03, 20th wd, Pgh, 48x117, Hallman st..... 4,000
Blosser E to W J Rifner, June 29, '03, Glassport, 25x110, Ohio ave..... 2,300
Kenworthy Jno to D W Pershing, May 18, '03, 20th wd, Pgh, 30x158, Roup st 5,500

FALL OF RAIN NEEDED IN THE CORN STATES

Government Weather Bureau Reports the Crops in Favorable Condition.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, July 28.—The weather bureau's weekly summary of crop conditions is as follows:

Temperatures during the week ending July 27 in the districts east of the Rocky mountains have been favorable except in New England, where it has been too cool, but the need of rain is being quite generally felt. Destructive local storms occurred in Minnesota, Missouri and the northern portion of the middle Atlantic states. In California the week was abnormally cool, but otherwise favorable.

Over the northern portion of the corn belt the corn crop has made good progress, and elsewhere fair advancement is reported, but it is in general need of rain in the central and southern portions.

Some winter wheat remains to be harvested in the northern portion of the middle Atlantic states and the lake region. While light yields are generally indicated the crop has been secured and is being threshed under exceptionally favorable conditions. The condition of spring wheat continues unfavorable. An improvement, however, in the crop on fall plowed lands in portions of Minnesota is reported, but the late sown is poor and rust is prevalent in southern Minnesota and South Dakota. Spring wheat is ripening rapidly in the Dakotas. In Montana and Washington it is filling well.

The oat harvest has progressed rapidly and favorably. In Illinois, Missouri and Kansas yields are lighter than were last year, but Iowa reports more. More than the usual rust is reported from Wisconsin, southern Minnesota, South Dakota and Pennsylvania. While there has been an improvement in cotton its advancement is apparently less decided than in the previous week. The apple outlook is somewhat more promising in the middle Atlantic states, upper Ohio valley and Illinois, and continues favorable in Michigan, Iowa and southern Kansas.

World's Grain Supply.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Special cable and telegraphic communication received by Bradstreets show the following changes in available supplies as compared with last account: Wheat—United States and Canada, east of Rockies, increased 138,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe decreased 100,000 bushels; total supply increased 39,000 bushels. Corn—United States and Canada east of Rockies decreased 908,000 bushels. Among the more important increases reported this week are those of 102,000 bushels at Chicago private elevators, 86,000 bushels at St. Joseph, 81,000 bushels at Toledo, and 64,000 bushels at St. Louis. The leading decreases are those of 150,000 bushels in Manitoba and 89,000 bushels at Coteau.

GREEN CORN MORE PLENTIFUL AND LOWER

Sharp Advance in Lettuce Quotations—Banana War Brings Down Prices.

There is a much more vigorous movement in green corn, but the supply is largely increased, home farmers bringing more abundant quantities to market, and prices are lower. From $3 00 a bushel, which ruled at the close of last week, prices have gone down to a range of $2 00 to $2 25. At the same time the quality has improved, and offerings are getting to be more attractive as well as more plentiful. Home tomatoes are also easier on account of increased supplies, and may be purchased for 75 cents a bushel, fanciest bringing 85 cents. Cucumbers are lower, having gone down about 25 cents a bushel for the home variety. String beans are firmer, and are bringing a range of 90 cents to $1 00 a bushel, at which figures they are strongly held. Squash is lower, and pumpkins are offered at reduced prices. Lettuce is scarce and quotations have advanced sharply, fancy stock commanding as much as $1 00 a dozen for home grown. Spinach is so scarce that it is almost impossible to secure it, and present quotations are really only nominal, for there is none offering. Spinach has been scarce all season, but is now practically out of the market.

Cantaloupes are holding steady at prices last quoted, notwithstanding the large receipts, for demand is very active. Some fancy Indianas are bringing top figures. Watermelons are plentiful and easy. Blackberries and huckleberries continue to arrive in liberal quantities, while raspberries are scarce.

Within the last few days there have been very heavy arrivals of bananas, on account of the war now being waged between New York importers, and prices are lower than they have been for a long time. When the trade was controlled by the one corporation it was the custom to throw stock away rather than break prices, but, with the advent of an opposition company, quotations have been cut, and the consumer is benefited. California plums are in limited supply, and prices are higher.

But little old timothy is reaching this market, and quotations are above every firmly held. New stock comes in more freely, and choice No. 1 was offered at $17 00, regular No. 1 at $16 00, while No. 2 was offered at a range of $13 00 to $14 00. Oats were quiet at unchanged figures. Rye is very strong at listed prices, with very little of it arriving.

In the grocery market there is nothing of special feature to note. Flour is steady at former quotations, with the concessions still being refused, although cash wheat is so firm and the visible supply so well known that there is really little reason for regarding the situation as otherwise than strong. Sugar is steady, but no other price fluctuations have occurred, demand is fairly large, and some jobbers speak of it as exceedingly active, though there does not seem to be as heavy a request as usual at this time of the year. Coffee is unchanged and featureless. Cereal foods hold their own without change of price. Beans are unchanged. Canned goods and dried fruits are just as about as last reported, with quotations steady.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 10 cars hay, 1 car straw, 3 cars corn, 5 cars oats, 1 car feed; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 4 cars hay, 1 car oats, 1 car straw. Total receipts, 25 cars.

Hay, No. 1 timothy...$18.50@19.00
No. 2 timothy...16.50@17.50
No. 3 timothy...14.00@15.00
No. 1 clover...14.50@15.50
Loose from wagon...$18.00@19.00
Straw, oat...$8.00@8.50
Straw, rye...$8.50@9.50
Oats, No. 2 white...42½@43c
do No. 3...41½@41c
do No. 4...40½@41c
Rye, No. 2...
Mich...58@58½c
Corn, No. 2, ton...$19.50@20.00
do bran...$18.50@19.00
Wheat, No. 2 red...
do...70@71c
Corn, shelled...58@60c
No. 2 yel, shelled...58@60c
High mix...56@57c
No. 2 mix...54@55c
No. 3 mix...53@54c
High mix...56@57c

GROCERIES.

Flour.
Fancy spr...$4.75@4.80
Fancy win. pat...$3.85
Straight win...$3.40@3.60
Bakers spr...$3.35@3.40
Rye...$3.40@3.60
Graham...$4.00@4.50
Cornmeal, bbl...$3.25
do 10-lb cotton bags...18@18c
Rolled oats, bbl...$5.50
do kegs...$2.90
Roasted Coffee.
Rio...@12c
Santos...@12½
Maracaibo...17@17½c

Sugar, 5-lb cotton bags...5.25c
do powdered...5.20c
do pow'd xxxx...5.25c
do cubes...5.35c
do cut loaf...5.60c
do crushed...5.45c
do No. 1 yellow...4.75c
do No. 2 yellow...4.70c
do No. 3 yellow...4.65c
Corn.
Beans.
Marrow, bu...$3.00@3.10
Navy, H. P...$2.45@2.50
Navy, limp...$2.35@2.40
Lima, Cal. dry...$4.35@4.50
Cal. lima, lb...3½@3½c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, std. pie...$1.10
do pie...$1.20@$1.30
do California, L. C....$1.00@2.35
do Mary-land...$1.15@1.65
do California Y. F....$1.80@2.00
Corn, fancy...$1.25@1.45
do std...$1.10@1.15
Cherries, Cal. white...$2.20@2.25
Lima beans...$1.25@1.40
do soaked...75@80c
String beans, 2-lb...85c
do 3-lb...
Stringless beans...$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrowfat...95c@$1.05
do early June...$1.00@1.30
do soaked...65@70c
Apples, 3 lb...$1.50@3.65
do gal...$2.20@2.75
Pineapples...$1.00@2.20

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., bags...7½@11c
do 25-lb boxes...8½@11½c
Apples, bulk...6¾@7½c
do 1-lb cartons...7½@8¼c
Peaches...@10c
Raspberries...26@27½c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb. pkgs...9¼@10¼c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 50-lb. boxes...7@8c
do Ondara...
Val...9¾@10c
do Cal. Val...7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 50 lb
do mustards...6¾@7¼c
do French...$8.00@15.75
Prunes...8¼@10½c

SPEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small...$8.00@8.10
do mammoth...$8.10@8.20
do crimson...$4.75@5.00
do white...
do Dutch...$19.00@20.00
Alsike...$8.75@9.00
Alfalfa...$8.50@9.00
Millet...$1.25@1.50
Grass, Hungarian...90c@$1.10
do Timothy, 45-lb bu...$1.80@2.00
do blue, 14-lb bu...$1.80@1.75
do red top, 14-lb bu...$1.10@2.00
Timothy...$1.65@1.75

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl...$20.00
do half bbls...$10.50
do quar. bbls...$8.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl...$26.00
do half bbls...$13.50
do quar. bbls...$9.75
do 2-lb palls...$2.75
do 10-lb palls...$1.45
Mackerel, No. 2, bbl...$18.00
do half bbls...$9.50
do quar. bbls...$5.00
do 2-lb palls...$2.25
do 10-lb palls...$1.15
Lake herring, 100 lbs...$3.75
do 10 lb...$1.40
do 10 lb...55c

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, Louisville...$2.00@2.25
do N. Y...$2.25@2.50
do home, bu...75@85c
Sweet potatoes...$4.00
Onions, bbl...$3.00@3.50
do hamp...90c@$1.00
do home, bu...$1.00
do new, doz...10@15c
Cucumbers, hothouse...50@60c
do North Carolina, bbls...$2.00@2.50
do hamp...$1.00@1.25
do home grown, bu...$2.00@2.25
Cabbage, new, bbls...$1.50@1.75
Beets, doz...20c
Parsley, doz...10@15c
Radishes, doz...20c
Spinach, bu...75c@$1.00
Celery, Kalamazoo...15@25c
do Ohio...30@35c
Kale, bu...25@30c
Lettuce, home, doz...75c@$1.00
Garlic, lb...7@10c
Egg plant, doz...$1.00@1.25
Carrots, doz bchs...25c
String beans, bu...90c@$1.00
Cauliflower, doz...$2.00@2.25
Rhubarb, doz...20@25c
Watercress, doz...15@20c
Tomatoes, Tenn., 4-basket carrier...50@65c
do Jersey, bu...$1.00@1.25
do home, bu...$2.00@2.50
Brussels sprouts, quart...12@14c
Mushrooms, lb...30@40c
Peppers, green, crate...$1.75@2.25
Peas, basket...$1.00@1.25
do home bu...$1.25@1.75
Squash, crate...$1.25@1.50
bu...$1.25@1.50
Corn, doz...20@25c
do home, doz...$2.00@2.25
Pumpkins...$1.00@1.25

DOMESTIC FRUITS

Apples, fancy, bbl...$2.50@4.00
do bu bkt...$1.00@1.25
Cherries...$1.00@1.50
Peaches, Ga...$2.50@2.75
Canteloupes, crate...$1.00@2.75
do basket...40@75c
Watermelons, each...15@25c
Blackberries...6@8c
Huckleberries...11@12c
Raspberries, black...12½@13c
do red...16@17c
Currants...12@13c
Gooseberries...@6@8c

TROPICAL FRUITS.

Lemons, Messina...$4.50@5.00
box...$1.00@1.25
Bananas, lots...$1.25@1.50
do Califor-nia...$3.00@3.50
Limes, per 100...$1.00
Oranges, California, Val...$3.75@4.00
do California, seedlings...$2.25@2.75
Cocoanuts, bags...$2.50
Peaches, Calif...
do 24s...75c@$1.00
Grape fruit, California...$3.00@4.00
Pineapples, crate...$4.00@4.50
Plums, California, box...$1.90@1.75
Pears, California, box...$2.50@2.75

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.
Prints...21¼@22c
Tubs...21@21½c
Ohio cream...18¼@19c
Dairy...14@14½c
Country roll...15@16c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream...11@12c
do Ohio...10½@11c
do ¾ cream...9½@9¾c
Cheese, Ohio Swiss, tubs...13@13½c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs...14@14½c
do 20-lb block Swiss, new...14@14½c
do limburger...10½@11c
Eggs at mark...16@16½c
do candled...17@18c

POULTRY.

Live hens, lb...14@15c
Live spring...16@17c
Roosters...10c
Turkeys...10@11c
Geese...8@10c
Ducks...12@13c
Dressed hens...17@18c
Dressed springs...20@23c
Roasters...18c
Roosters...13@14c
Turkeys, fresh, dressed...18c
do frozen...21@22c
Ducks...18c
Spring...18@20c
Capon, lb...25c
L. L. ducks...21c

PROVISIONS

Hams.
16 lbs and up...13¾c
Over 14 to 16 lbs...13¾c
Over 12 to 14 lbs...14¼c
10 lbs and under...14¼c
Skinned...13c
Boneless bolled...20½c
California...9c
Shoulders, N. Y. cut...9½c
do skinned...10½c
Breakfast bacon, ribs 8 to 10 lbs...13½c
do 10 to 12 lbs...13c
do back strips...12c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs...14c
do 10 to 12 lbs...13¾c
Breakfast bacon, rolls...12c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears...10¾c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs...10c
do 16 to 20 lbs...10¼c
do under 16 lbs...10¼c
Lard, pure, tierces...8¼c

HORSE MARKET.

Business took something of a turn for the better yesterday at the auction sale, 200 horses were offered to buyers, all of which found a ready market at prices which were fully $10 a head higher than those which ruled a week ago. In fact, there has not been such brisk selling for over a month. However, retail sales do not average up so well at present and the market generally is slow.

GRAIN CLOSED LOWER IN CHICAGO MARKET

Trading in Wheat Was Active in the Beginning—Provisions Are Higher.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, July 28.—Trading in wheat was active at the beginning of the session and opening prices were strong with September ½ to ¾c higher at 78¾ to 78¾c. There were a good many buying orders to be filled at the opening and under these demands the market was strong the first half hour and September sold at 78¾c, but the better prices brought out many selling orders from commission houses and there was also plenty of general liquidation, which soon started prices on the down grade. Later in the session the selling movement was increased under the influence of an increase of 39,000 bushels in the world's visible and also by the bearish construction public on the weekly government crop report and in consequence the market ruled quite weak. After selling down to 77¾c, September rallied slightly and closed at 77¾@77¾c, a loss of ¼@¾c.

Primary receipts were 784,000 bushels against 1,418,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 231 cars, which with local receipts of 141 cars, of contract grade, made total receipts for the three points of 372 cars, against 306 cars last week and 788 a year ago.

There was a large volume of trade in corn and although the opening prices were strong, the advance was not maintained, owing to heavy realizing by prominent operators. Private reports of rain in Kansas, with predictions of further precipitation for that state, together with the rather bearish tone of the weekly government crop report, were partly responsible for the selling movement. Late in the day the selling became more pronounced and the close was at the bottom. September being ⅝@⅝c lower at 52¾c after ranging between 53¼ and 53⅝c. Local receipts were 283 cars, with 123 of contract grade.

Although oats opened fairly firm in sympathy with the strength in other grains, the heavy receipts, good grading and improved crop reports caused weakness later in the day and lower prices prevailed the remainder of the session. After selling between 33⅛ and 34c, September closed ⅜@⅝c lower at 33½c. Local receipts were 458 cars.

Good buying by sports caused strength in provisions at the opening with general advances in all products. The strength in grains and the smaller hog receipts were early influences. Resulting sales caused a loss at part of the gain. The close was firm with September pork up 12½c at $13 02½. September lard was 10@12½c higher at $7 47½@7 65 and ribs were up 12½@15c at $7 70@7 80.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 70 cars; corn, 100 cars; oats, 165 cars; hogs, 25,000 head.

The leading futures reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close	Saturday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2.					
July	78¾	78¾	77¾	77¾	77¾
Sept.	78¾	78¾	77¾	77¾	77¾
Dec.	78¾	78¾	77¾	77¾	78¾
CORN.					
No. 2.					
July	52¾	53¼	51¾	52¼	52¾
Sept.	53⅜	53⅝	52¼	52⅝	53⅛
Dec.	53⅛	53⅜	52¼	52⅜	53⅛
OATS.					
No. 2.					
July	39	42	38½	42	39⅜
Sept.	34	34	33⅛	33⅜	34
Dec.	34⅜	35⅛	34⅜	34⅜	34⅜
May	37	37	36⅜	36⅝	37⅛
MESS PORK.					
Sept.	13 60	13 82½	13 60	13 62½	13 50
LARD.					
Sept.	7 60	7 80	7 60	7 65	7 52
Oct.	7 60	7 67½	7 57½	7 57½	7 45
SHORT RIBS.					
Sept.	7 82½	8 07½	7 82½	7 90	7 77½
Oct.	7 70	7 92½	7 70	7 80	7 67½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour was steady. No. 2 spring wheat $0 85@$1c; No. 3, 76@78c; No. 2 red, 77¼@78¼c; No. 2 corn, 52c; No. 2 oats, 35@35½c; No. 3 white, 34@34½c; No. 2 rye, 68c; fair to choice malting, 67@68c; No. 1 flaxseed, 90c; No. 1 northwestern, prompt shipment, 90c; prime timothy seed, $3 40; mess pork, per bbl, $13 00@13 25; lard, per 100 lbs., $7 40@7 45; short ribs sides (loose), $7 60@7 65; dry salted shoulders (boxed), 7@7¼c; sweet pickled shoulders, 8c; short clear sides (boxed), $7 75@7 85; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 30; clover, contract grade, $12 00@12 50.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	14,400	15,200
Wheat, bu.	27,000	2,000
Corn, bu.	199,000	168,100
Oats, bu.	478,000	178,200
Rye, bu.	4,900	2,300
Barley, bu.	2,900	1,800

NEW YORK, July 28.—Flour—Receipts, 37,288 barrels; exports, 2,808 barrels; less active but well held at old prices. Rye flour quiet. Cornmeal dull. Rye dull. Barley dull.

Grain—Wheat—Receipts, 48,750 bushels; spot easy. No. 2 red, 82¾c elevator; No. 2 red, 82¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 83¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, 84¾c f. o. b. afloat; options after a sharp early advance, occasioned by bullish threshing returns, broke under general realizing influenced by larger Washington receipts and increase in world's stocks for the week and satisfaction over the weekly government crop bulletin; the close was quite a half cent lower; May, 84⅞@85c; closed 84¼c; July, 81⅞@82c; closed 82¾c; September, 82⅝@83c; closed 82¾c; December, 82 11-16@83¼c; closed 82¾c. Corn—Receipts, 115,450 bushels; exports, 284 bushels; spot easy; No. 2, 50½c elevator and 52c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 52c; No. 2 white, 50c; option market opened stronger on good speculative support, but soon yielded to long liquidation and in the afternoon was weakened by a better weekly crop report than expected, closing half a cent net lower; May, 2¾@50c; closed 50¾c; July, 50½@50¾c; closed 50¼c; September, 50¼@50c; closed 49¾c; December, 49 15-16@50c; closed 49¾c. Oats—Receipts, 91,100 bushels; exports, 115 bushels; spot easy; No. 2, 40c; standard white, 41c; No. 3, 39½c; No. 2 white, 41½c; No. 3 white, 40½c; track white, 39@44c; options dull and irregular all day, closing weak.

ST. LOUIS, July 28.—Wheat, No. 2 red, cash, 73@80c; July, 78¾c; September, 78¼@78¾c; December, 79¼c. No. 2 hard, 73@76c. Corn, No. 2 cash, 50¼c; September, 51¼@51⅝c; December, 50½c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 35c; September, 32½c; December, 32¾c. No. 2 white, 38c.

MILWAUKEE, July 28.—Wheat dull; No. 1 northern, 80@80c; No. 2 northern, 80@80½c; new September, 77¾@77¾c; Rye steady, 52½c. No. 2, 52½c. Barley dull. No. 2, 58@60c; sample, 49@51c. Corn, September, 52½c.

DULUTH, July 28.—Wheat to arrive, No. 1 hard, 83½c; No. 1 northern, 83¼c; No. 2 northern, 81¼c; July, 80½c; September, 78¼c; December, 76½c.

Live Stock Markets.

CENTRAL STOCK YARDS.

Tuesday, July 28, 1903.

Cattle—Receipts fair, with 60 cars on sale; market steady on better grades; slow on others; choice 1,400 to 1,500 lbs., $5 25@5 40; prime, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $4 90@5 15; good, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., $4 60@4 85; fair, 900 to 1,100, $4 20@4 50; helfers, 700 to 1,000 lbs., $3 00@4 75; bulls, $2 50@4 00; stockers and feeders weak; good to choice, $3 50@4 00; veal calves, $5 50@7 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 26 double decks; market active; prime heavy hogs, $5 35@5 40; medium, $5 30@5 35; heavy Yorkers and pigs, $5 20@5 30; light Yorkers, $5 00@5 10; pigs, $5 10@5 20; roughs, $4 00@5 00.

Sheep and lambs—Supply fair; market slow; best wethers, $5 to 100 lbs., $4 00@4 70; good mixed, $4 00@4 50; fair to good, $3 50@4 00; culls and common, $2 50@3 50; best lambs, $5 80@6 15; spring lambs, $6 00@6 60; veal calves, $5 50@7 00.

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[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, July 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,000 head, including 900 head Texans; 600 head Texans; fine steers steady to firm; grass fed steers steady; quarantine steers weaker; cows and heifers steady to lower; stockers and feeders weak; calves steady to strong. Dressed beef steers, $4 75@5 25; fair to good, $3 50@4 70; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 30; western fed steers, $3 00@4 95; Texas and Indian steers, $3 00@4 40; Texas cows, $2 15@3 25; native steers, $1 50@4 15; native heifers, $2 25@4 75; canners, $1 10@2 20; bulls, $1 25@3 00; calves, $2 00@5 00. Hogs—Receipts, 7,000 head; market steady to 5c higher; top, $5 30; bulk of sales, $5 15@5 25; heavy, $5 20@5 30; packers and butchers, $5 05@5 25½; light, $5 05@5 22½; Yorkers, $5 20@5 22½; pigs, $5 20@5 30. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000 head; market firm; lambs, 10@20c lower; native lambs, $4 10@5 40; Texas clipped lambs, $3 00@4 25; Texas clipped sheep, $2 75@4 70; stockers and feeders, $2 75@3 45.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Beeves—Receipts, 223 head, all consigned direct. No sales reported. Dressed beef steady. City dressed native sides, 6¾ to 8¼c per pound. Cables quoted American steers at 12 to 12¾c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 9 to 9¼c per pound. Exports today, Boef estimated, 1,250 beeves; 2,650 sheep; 4,200 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 246 head; very quiet, rated steady. The only reported sale on bunch of Indiana grassers at $4 85. Dressed veals, 11 to 12c per pound. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,615 head. Sheep slow, 10c lower; lambs dull, closing heavy with about 28 cars unsold. Sales of Ohio lambs, $6 25 per 100 lbs yesterday. Decline possibly greater in some instances. Sheep sold at $3 25 to $4 30 per 100 pounds. Lambs at $5 00 to $6 05. Dressed mutton, 6½ to 8c per pound. Dressed lambs, 9½ to 10c. Hogs—Receipts, 3,315 head; light weights firm, others steady. State pigs sold at $5 30; heavy state hogs at $5 00; Ohio do at $5 10.

CHICAGO, July 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000 head; market slow, weak to 10c lower. Texans, 2,000 head. Good to prime steers, $5 10@5 25; poor to medium, $4 00@5 00; stockers and feeders, $2 20@4 35, cows, $1 50@4 20; heifers, $2 50@4 75; canners, $1 10@2 20; bulls, $1 25@3 00; calves, $2 00@5 00. Hogs—Receipts, 7,000 head; market steady to 5c higher; top, $5 30; bulk of sales, $5 15@5 25; heavy, $5 20@5 30; packers and butchers, $5 05@5 25½; light, $5 05@5 22½; Yorkers, $5 20@5 22½; pigs, $5 20@5 30. Sheep—Receipts, 6,000 head; market firm; lambs, 10@20c lower; native lambs, $4 10@5 40; Texas clipped lambs, $3 00@4 25; Texas clipped sheep, $2 75@4 70; stockers and feeders, $2 75@3 45.

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YANKEES GET BRITISH JOB

Westinghouse Company Secures Another Big Electrical Contract.

GREAT PROJECTS UNDERWAY

English Branch of the Pittsburgh Company Meeting With Marvelous Success. Manchester Plant Is Now Operating in Full Capacity.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, July 28.

The Westinghouse interests have secured another important British contract, the municipal authorities of Brighton, the Atlantic City of England, having awarded within the last few days a contract to to British Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, which will represent an expenditure of more than $400,000.

The contract calls for the construction of the Southwick power station and the installation of the motor generator converting plant, together with switchboards, instruments, etc. At the north road power station Westinghouse aparatus will also be installed.

The British Westinghouse Company, of which George Westinghouse is president, and in which the American Westinghouse interests have important monetary concern, has British contracts in hand now which will foot up a total of not far short of $10,000,000. The most important unfilled contract is for the power house equipment for the London underground railways being constructed by Charles T. Yerkes.

Next on the list is the Clyde valley contract, which calls for installations to generate electric energy for distribution over an area of some 700 miles in the principal Scotch iron and coal regions. The value of this contract alone is some $2,000,000.

Large contracts have also recently been secured for various equipment to be used in connection with the conversion of about 40 miles of road now operated by steam by the Northeastern railway. The Wirral railway is to be electrically converted by the Westinghouse people. It will be operated in connection with the Mersey Tunnel railway, the electrification of which system was completed last month by the British Westinghouse company.

In addition to this the company has in hand fully a score of contracts running into six figures each for the electrical equipment of lighting plants and traction systems throughout Great Britain. The new Manchester plant of the British company is now in full working operation, but the bulk of the equipment referred to in these contracts, especially the heavy machinery, will be turned out at the Westinghouse company's East Pittsburgh's shops.

MUCH MORE TROUBLE

is experienced in using coal to cook than with natural gas. Coal is dirty and wasteful. Gas is not. The coal wasted in cooking would pay for gas to do the same work. If you apply this month at the office of the Philadelphia Company, 435 Sixth avenue, you can have service connections made and meter set free.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

WRIGHT STARTS FOR HOME TODAY

Millionaire Prisoner in New York Will Return to London to Face Charges.

IS A FRIEND OF THE ROYALTY

Celebrated English Financier Under Charge of Scotland Yard Men Will Sail on Oceanic Today — Accused of Wrecking a Company.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square,
NEW YORK, July 28.

Cell No. 6, second tier, in the Ludlow street jail, will be vacated tomorrow by Whitaker Wright, friend of royalty, who made and lost millions in promoting investment enterprises in England, and who was arrested on his arrival here last March, accused of being concerned in the collapse of the London & Globe Finance Company. After four months of vain efforts to obtain his release on bail, Mr. Wright is going back to face the charges. The few belongings he has in the tomb he packed today, and he is ready to depart for Liverpool on the Oceanic tomorrow. He returns voluntarily, but at least nominally in custody, for two Scotland Yard detectives will accompany him. Ludlow street jail officials are sorry to part with Mr. Wright, for it is not often they have to do with men of millions.

His stay in the grimy county jail has been made as comfortable as the rules would permit, but restraint in such a place is rather irksome when one is accustomed to a lavishly furnished palace such as Mr. Wright's place in Surrey. So the distinguished prisoner leaves with no regrets. He hopes to soon be free on bail and he announces his intention of fighting the charges against him to the bitter end.

FRANK A. PARKER.

WITH THE ROYALTY.

Admiral Cotton and Staff Entertained by King and Queen of Portugal.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—The navy department has received a cable message from Rear Admiral Cotton, commander-in-chief of the European squadron, now on a visit to Portugal. It was sent from Lisbon, under date of yesterday, and is as follows:

"Self, commanding officers and personal staff received in special audience by the king, Saturday afternoon; luncheon to same by king at Cintra, precede which were presented to queen in special audience. The queen, our minister and some of the cabinet ministers present at luncheon. Tomorrow night dinner 20 covers to us by minister of marine and arsenal. King will visit flagship next Saturday."

RECEIVER NAMED FOR A NOTED PALACE CAR

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—Vice Chancellor Stevens in Newark today signed an order appointing Lawrence S. Mott receiver for the palace car "Boston," owned by Hayward A. Harvey. The application was made by counsel representing A. E. Truesdale, who holds a mortgage on the car. The palace car "Boston" is the finest in the world. Since it was constructed, the car has been leased for the use of nearly all the celebrities who have visited the United States. Despite this, it has proved a losing venture.

BOYS AT LAST GET DEFENDER

Lecturer at Chautauqua Sees Young America in the Light They Like.

GIRLS TAKE THE BACK SEAT

Other Interesting Discourses Given Yesterday at the Assembly Grounds. Second Lecture on the "Psychology of Religions."

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., July 28.—The most scientific but the most popular lecture of today was that of Dr. William B. Forbush of Boston on "The Heart of a Boy." He is the author of the "Boy Problem" and has made a study of boys in general, who he thinks are the nicest things in the world.

Their gangs, fights and escapades are all right and are not to be repressed, for they develop the boy and make the man. He seems, however, to have little use for girls. They may set at home with mamma and sew and gossip.

The missionary institute held its second session and addresses were made by Mrs. James G. Wilson, Dr. Jean F. Loba on "The Influence of the Foreign Field on the Home Church," and Dr. Thomas Gulick on "Missionary Work in Spain."

In the course of his lecture Dr. Gulick said that the field in Spain is a difficult but not a stony one. That he had lived among the people so long that he was very fond of them. They are kind, courteous and noble in many respects, but are persitent liars.

Dr. Hall gave his second lecture in his course on the "Psychology of Religions." He treated today the four ancient religions, Mohometanism, Confucianism, Brahmanism, and Buddhism. He says:

"We should not be jealous of Mahometanism. In the minds of all unprejudiced people, it has done and is still doing great work in the north of Africa. It does more to abolish idolatry and prepare the soil for Christianity than any other means.

"It is really better suited to the natives than our Christian religion, and our missionaries can learn much from the followers of Mahomet. No missionary should attempt to teach in these lands without a thorough knowledge of these religions that he may be able to carry the message to those in darkness without offending their reverance for those teachings which have been in the country for centuries. Many make the mistake of knowing only our own Christian religion and not understanding the feelings of those they would benefit."

Sixteen-Day Outing to the Seashore, Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Avail yourself of the low rate excursion to Atlantic City and other famous seashore resorts, via Pennsylvania railroad, Thursday, July 30, 1903. Tickets good 16 days, including date of sale. Ten dollar tickets good in coaches only, and twelve dollar tickets good in parlor and sleeping cars, when accompanied by usual Pullman tickets. Special train leaves Union station, Pittsburgh, at 8:55 a. m., with through coaches and parlor cars to Atlantic City. Evening trains leave at 4:50 and 9 o'clock with coaches, and at 10 with sleeping cars only, through to Atlantic City.

Secure tickets and Pullman accommodations now at city office, 260 Fifth avenue.

The big sale at Laird's begins Thursday morning at Both Stores.

ARK MADE FAST BY THE EXPERTS

Prof. Langley Will Fly Airship from Where the Winds Cast Him.

DAY OF TEST DRAWS NEAR

Smithsonian Attaches Get Out the Life Preservers to Be Worn by Man Who Steers the Machine—All Is Shrouded in Mystery.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WIDEWATER, VA., July 28.—Prof. Langley's houseboat containing his untested airship, was firmly moored this afternoon on the grounds to which it was driven by a storm 10 days ago, and experiments with the flying machine, which, it is expected will be held within a few days, will take place on the spot where fate cast the "Buzzard," and not where the Smithsonian experts planned they should.

The ungainly Ark got into the warship class when at 3 o'clock this afternoon the United States government tug Tecumseh brought down to Widewater from Washington an anchor large enough to hold the battleship Oregon, and a quantity of heavy iron chain. The museum clerks had a hard time trying to get the anchor from the tug to the Ark, and then overboard, and at last the crew of the Tecumseh, after coming nearly 50 miles to bring the huge iron sledge, had to turn and do all the work incident to getting the anchor down.

If Prof. Langley's "Buzzard" is ever blown away by another gale, it will have to carry along with it a large piece of the bed of the Potomac. It is firmly fastened now.

The Smithsonian experts turned in today and did about half a day's work at top speed. The entire party gathered on the Ark shortly after 7 o'clock this morning and until mid-day the gasoline engine was kept busy. The nature of the work performed inside the Ark and apparently on the airship itself could not be learned, as the windows of the "Buzzard" were kept closed.

The experts this morning got out a number of life preservers on the deck of the Ark and dried them in the sun. A preserver will be worn by the steerman who makes the trip on the flying machine, and may be the means of saving his life should the airship meet with an accident in mid-air or settle into the water before the pursuing tugboat reaches the scene.

GETS ONE BITE ONLY.

New York Judge Decides a Dog Must Not Chew Two Persons.

NEW YORK, July 28.—(Special.)—"A dog is entitled to one bite but not two. That is going too far. Order the dog shot." This was the decision rendered today by City Judge Bennett of Mt. Vernon, when he found the pet skye terrier "Jack," owned by Conrad Steinmetz guilty of having bitten Howard Brainard.

The boy told how the dog, while going out with Mr. Steinmetz's daughter, had run across the lawn and sunk his teeth into Howard's left leg. Steinmetz admitted that his dog had bitten another boy because he annoyed the animal. It was at this point that Judge Bennett rendered his decision that a dog was entitled to only one bite.

DELUGED WITH LETTERS.

Workmen All Over Country Wrote to Judge Trying the Murphy Case.

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